

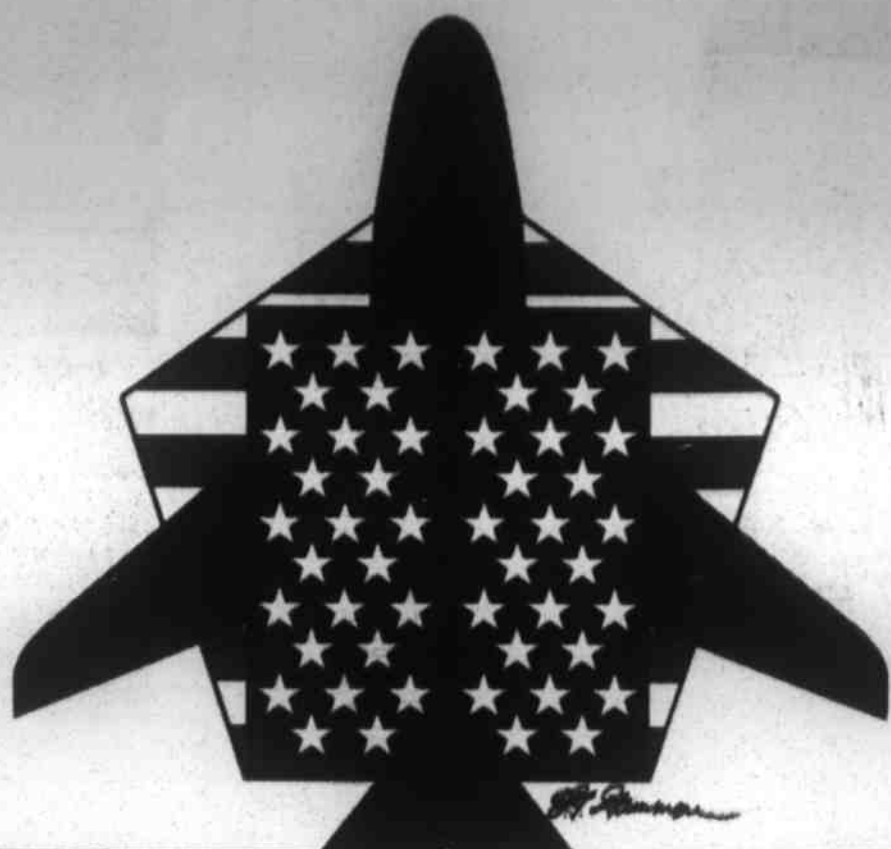
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A SEPTEMBER MORNING can be a lovely time for a bike ride in Pleasant Valley, at least now that the seemingly continuous rain of late has stopped at last. Except for a short drought in August, the summertime weather in Garrett County has been satisfying this year, producing hearty crops and lots of good swimming days. Fall will arrive

in two weeks, and already the scent is in the air. However, the weather is to be quite warm for the next several days, complete with clear skies, daytime temps in the 70s, and cool nights. Good for some more bike-riding, for sure. Photo by John McEwan.



**9/11 REMEMBERED** — Next Monday will mark the fifth anniversary of the September 11, 2001, terrorist attacks on America. In remembrance of that horrific day, a young artist named J.R. Gammon created the above artwork, incorporating the Twin Towers, the Pentagon, and the airline jets used in the attack. Gammon, a resident of Virginia, is the grandson of Lou and Lois Stouffer of Terra Alta, W.Va. Stouffer is known as the area's "real Santa Claus," collecting, repainting, and distributing Christmas gifts to thousands of area families in need over the past several decades. Interested persons can obtain more information about Gammon's artwork online at [www.WeRemember911.com](http://www.WeRemember911.com). A variety of ceremonies and observances will be held throughout the nation on Monday.

## GCHD Offering Info, Help With MCHP Changes

The Garrett County Health Department is offering to help residents meet the new federal requirements that all persons declaring to be U.S. citizens must provide documentation of both citizenship and identity when they first apply, or when they do their annual review of eligibility, for the Maryland Children's Health Program.

These changes are based on the Deficit Reduction Act of 2005 and began on Sept. 1, 2006.

Maryland Children's Health Program (MCHP) staff from the Garrett County Health Department will be available at the Grantsville Department of Social Services Office every Tuesday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. to assist in answering questions or making copies of the required documents. The staff is also available at the Oakland office Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. For assistance, persons may call 301-334-7720 or 301-895-3111.

The programs affected by the changes in federal regulations include Medical

## Indiana Man Charged After Vehicle Mishap

An Indianapolis, Ind., man was charged with drunk driving following a two-vehicle accident on Garrett Highway near Hoyes Road Wednesday night, according to Maryland State Police, McHenry Barrack.

Erik M. Pelley, 37, was operating his Dodge Intrepid southbound on Garrett Highway when he came around a curve and traveled across the center line into the northbound lane and into the path of another vehicle operated by Glenn Delanny, 30, Fairfax, Va. The Delanny vehicle was towing a boat. Delanny swerved his vehicle out of the way; however, Pelley's vehicle struck the boat trailer, which caused the roadway to be blocked.

Pelley was charged with driving under the influence of alcohol and reckless driving.

Responding to the scene were Northern Rescue Squad, Deep Creek firefighters, the State Highway Administration, and the Garrett County Sheriff's Office.

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## Utility Trailer At Construction Site Robbed Of Tools

A utility trailer at a residential construction site was robbed of several saws, nail guns, and drills sometime between Saturday, Aug. 26, 6 p.m., and Sunday, Aug. 27, 8 a.m., according to the Maryland State Police.

The utility trailer that was parked at 642 Mountain Top Road had its padlock cut, according to the police report. Anyone with information about this crime is asked to call the MSP McHenry Barrack at 301-895-1101.

## Autumn Glory Bunting Now On Display

The Garrett County Chamber of Commerce is already displaying its colors as the Autumn Glory Bunting decorates the front of the building and the side that faces Route 219.

As the fall season approaches, more businesses and organization begin to hang the bunting to show their support of the county's largest festival. The colorful bunting adds to the festive fall atmosphere and invite visitors into local establishments.

"Show your colors," said Charlie Ross, president and CEO of the Garrett County Chamber of Commerce. "Become one of the more than 100 businesses and organizations that now fly the Autumn Glory bunting early to let people know Autumn Glory is approaching."

The 39th annual Autumn Glory Festival will be held Wednesday, Oct. 11, through Sunday, Oct. 15, with parades, dinners, musical entertainment, and more.

The colorful Autumn Glory bunting is now available from the Garrett

## Man Charged With Attempted Rape, Assault

Oakland City Police were summoned to a residence on East Oak Street Friday night for a reported domestic assault, which resulted in the arrest of Rodney Berger Jr., 37.

Based on interviews with the victim and witnesses, Berger was arrested and transported to the Garrett County Detention Center and held without bond. He was charged with attempted first-degree rape, first- and second-degree assault, and reckless endangerment.

Deputies from the Garrett County Sheriff's Office assisted. Police said the victim, age 21, said she was attacked by Berger during an argument.

## Police Arrest Two Men For Allegedly Stealing Trout

An Allegany County man and a Garrett County man were arrested and charged with stealing trout from a state hatchery last Tuesday, according to Maryland Natural Resources Police.

Mark A. Logsdon Jr., 18, Frostburg, and Cory J. McKenzie, 19, Grantsville, were charged with theft of property valued under \$500 and trespassing on posted

## Registration Date Set For Autumn Glory Parade

Letters and applications for Garrett County's 39th annual Autumn Glory Festival Grand Feature Parade were mailed to past participants last week. Groups or individuals who want to participate should return the applications as soon as possible.

The festival parade will be held Saturday, Oct. 14, in downtown Oakland. This year's parade, which is once again sponsored by First United Bank & Trust, begins at 1 p.m.

"If you have never participated in our event, please consider this a cordial invitation to join us," said Deb Clatterbuck, deputy administrator for marketing and tourism. "If you have been with us before, you know how much fun this can be and we invite you to return."

"Each year, we strive to make the parade a better show for both spectators and participants. We have implemented many of the suggestions received by participants. This year, one or more parade judges may be based at different locations along the parade route as well as on the reviewing stand. Therefore, participants may improve your score by performing throughout the parade route."

The registration deadline is Friday, Sept. 22. Participants are notified of their starting position by Oct. 11.

## Robert And Marcene Huebner Are Named Garrett Co.'s Most Beautiful

Robert and Marcene Huebner have been recognized as Garrett County's Most Beautiful Persons, announced during this week's Garrett County commissioners' meeting at the county courthouse.

The Huebners were selected from a pool of five nominees, with the final decision made by a local selection committee. They will now move on to the state recognition ceremony in Baltimore, slated later this fall.

Maryland's Most Beautiful Person Volunteer Awards honor individuals or groups who have made differences in their communities by donating time, talents, and efforts. One person or persons are chosen from each county and Baltimore City as the "most beautiful."

Jim Shaffer, local WKJH radio personality and a member of the selection committee, hosted the awards event Tuesday, reading letters of support for each nominee, ending with the letter for the winners.

"The Huebners were the inspiration and driving force in establishing the Christian Crossing Thrift Shop and its parent, Garrett Cooperative Ministry Inc., in 1998. The shop is a successful, 100% volunteer, non-profit organization in which the Huebners are the mainstays in the daily activities," Shaffer read. Proceeds from the sale of items at Christian Crossing have been used to pay such things as rent and utility bills for those in need, as well as funeral expenses

for a young child. Other funding has been distributed to various non-profit organizations throughout the county.

Mr. Huebner has served as president, board member, and/or committee member of the Garrett County Habitat for Humanity for nearly 10 years, Shaffer said. He also chairs the building committee for the Maryland Salem Children's Trust's new classroom building, and is a founding member of the United Way.

Mrs. Huebner has been the board president and committee member for the Garrett Lakes Arts Festival

## Man Charged With Drunk Driving, Theft

A Mtn. Lake Park man faces numerous charges including drunk driving and theft after police responded to Friendsville Road Saturday morning, according to Garrett County sheriff's deputies.

Patrick Vanderbilt, 18, was charged with driving under the influence (DUI), DUI per se, driving while impaired (DWI), driving without a license, and consuming alcohol in the passenger area of a vehicle while on the roadway. He was also charged by the vehicle's owner for theft, unauthorized use of a motor vehicle, and motor vehicle unlawful taking.

Vanderbilt was not in



**AN ORANGE AND BLACK MARVEL** — Anyone who has ever watched the metamorphosis of a fat, green, milkweed-fed caterpillar into an orange and black monarch butterfly can attest to the wonder of the phenomenon. Humans search the world over for miracles, yet they happen in front of our eyes all the time. The monarchs are in great abundance this year, according to those who study such things, but their annual trek to Now Mexico will be hampered by a lack of flowers, i.e., lack of life-giving nectar, in drought-damaged states

such as Texas. But the great number of butterflies this year will help with that problem, as at least some will survive the journey. The insects are a common sight in Garrett County classrooms right now, where youngsters are watching the changes taking place each day, as the caterpillar eats and grows larger, hangs upside down for a while, turns itself inside out to make the chrysalis, and then, about 14 anxious days later, emerges as a completely different animal. Nothing short of amazing. Photo by John McEwan.



**GARRETT COUNTY'S MOST BEAUTIFUL** — Robert and Marcene Huebner are Garrett County's "Most Beautiful Persons" for the year. They were honored at a ceremony at the county commissioners' office. The Huebners were cited for their many volunteer efforts, spearheading such organizations as Christian Crossing and the Garrett Cooperative Ministry, and serving as

leaders in many local groups, including Habitat for Humanity and the Garrett Lakes Arts Festival. They will now travel to Baltimore for the statewide Maryland You Are Beautiful Volunteer Awards Ceremony. See story. Pictured from left are Delegate George Edwards, Commissioner Don Beard, Marcene Huebner, Robert Huebner, and Commissioner Fred Holliday.

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## First Published Book Is Dream Come True For Frank Bittinger

by Brenda Ruggiero

Books have always been a high priority for former Grantsville resident Frank Bittinger. At one point, his personal library included over 6,000 of them. However, he has managed to pare it down a bit. His current total? About 4,000 titles.

One book in particular stands out from the rest. It is one that emerged from Frank's own imagination and launched him into living his dream.

*Into the Mirror Black* is based in western Maryland, an area that Frank knows well. Although he currently lives in Cumberland, he grew up in Grantsville and graduated from Northern High School. He then went on to Garrett Community College and graduated from Frostburg State University.

"I was supposed to be a teacher, but decided not to do that at the last minute," he explained. "Everything

happens for a reason, and I'm glad it happened."

Frank's love of writing started early in his life.

"I've written since I was a little kid," he said. "I remember that somebody brought home from the library *The Amityville Horror*, and I remember reading this book and thinking — why are people scared of this? This is awful. And I tried to rewrite it. That was my first experience that I remember writing."

Later in elementary school, Frank enjoyed writing short stories. He was also influenced by Sandi Warne, his language arts teacher at Northern Middle.

"She used to just give me reams of paper," he said. "She would slap them down right in front of me and say, 'Write me a story.' And that's what started it. I just thought she was the most incredible person. I think that's actually why I wanted to be a teacher."



**INTO THE MIRROR BLACK** is the title of Frank Bittinger's first published novel, based in western Maryland, where the writer grew up. A former resident of Grantsville and graduate of Northern High School, Bittinger now resides in Cumberland. He has at least two more books in the works. See story.

After Frank decided against a teaching career, he moved into his current profession as a hair stylist. However, his underlying dream remained.

"I've always wanted to write a book," he said. "Always, always, always. Everybody's first book should be a haunted house book. They are the best, whether it's Clive Barker or Shirley Jackson...everybody needs to write a haunted house book. So that's what I started."

He noted that he decided to base the book in western Maryland, combining Allegany and Garrett into one county.

"I thought, what if there was one thing here that's not supposed to be here?" he explained. "I didn't know what the thing was yet, but I thought about how it would affect everything, because some people would know it was here, and some people would not."

The book description on Amazon.com reads, "When Lila Cassavettes passes away, Storm returns to western Maryland to pay his final respects to the grandmother who raised him. He learns part of his inheritance is a Victorian estate he knew nothing about... Soon after moving into the house, he discovers an old book lodged in a crack in the wall. A book filled with arcane symbols, weird drawings, and what appear to be incantations. Who did it belong to and how did it get into the wall? He then finds more questions than answers concerning his family's past."

Frank noted that it took him a year to finish the book, and he is pleased that it has been so well-received. At his first book signing in June, he autographed over 60 copies.

"It's just amazing," he said. "It's done everything I wanted it to. I wanted to sell enough to make its money back — maybe sell a little bit more — but I work for a living, so it didn't have to support me. I don't know if I ever want to tour the

world to sign or anything like that, but a few of them around the tri-state area and into D.C. — that's fine."

Eight more signings are scheduled between now and the end of the year, including Waldenbooks at the Country Club Mall on Saturday, Sept. 23, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Saturday, Nov. 4, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. He will also be at Mystic Isles in Cumberland on Saturday, Oct. 14, from noon to 5 p.m.

Frank enjoys his work as a stylist, and plans to continue working at All About You (located at 114 Virginia Avenue in Cumberland) between book signings and more writing. Copies of the book are also available at the salon.

"People can drop in to see me," he said. "I'd be happy to sign it. I want to sign every book that somebody buys. That would be a goal of mine."

He noted that out-of-town fans can also purchase a signed copy of the book on a friend's web site at [www.stormsong.org](http://www.stormsong.org).

Frank's next book, *Angels of the Seventh Dawn*, is already complete, and is undergoing editing for its release next June. He noted that it includes vampires, were-animals, magic, and a serial killer.

"It's about a young man whose mother dies of cancer when he's 13," he said. "She dies with a smile on her face after years of pain, and he wants to know why. So he goes and discovers what comes for you when you die."

Frank isn't exactly sure where his ideas come from, noting that he uses his imagination rather than research.

"I have no clue," he said. "Most people would tell me I am in need of therapy and Jesus, but I don't know."

Also in the works are two more books, *Angels of the Mourning Light* and *Mourning Revelations*. A collection of short fiction called *Illusions of Darkness*. *The Forbidden* is ready for editing as well.

sunny, shiny weather."

Frank's goal is to write at least two or three days a week.

"I can slack off for weeks at a time, but I always come

back to it," he said. "If somebody really makes you mad, you can just create a character and kill him in the most painful and disgusting way possible, and you don't

go to jail. It's amazing. A lot of people would say I have homicidal tendencies, but everybody does it, and they lie if they say they don't. It's true."

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## Drugs Found In Car After Man Is Stopped On I-68

A 24-year-old Harrisburg, Pa., man was charged for possession of CDS marijuana and CDS paraphernalia after he was stopped for speeding and his car was searched on I-68 near the Friendsville exit on Saturday at approximately 11:35 a.m., according to the Maryland State Police.

The police report indicated that once the car was stopped, Tfc. S.T. Huber of the MSP conducted a probable cause search of Timothy Berrell's 1997 Saturn because the officer detected the odor of marijuana coming from the vehicle. Huber allegedly found and seized an unknown quantity of marijuana and related drug paraphernalia.

## One Injured, One Cited In Vehicle Mishap

One driver was injured and another was cited in a two-vehicle accident on Rt. 219 at the intersection of Weber Road Wednesday morning, according to Garrett County sheriff's deputies.

The investigation revealed that Glen Steyer II, 21, Oakland, was attempting to pull his vehicle from Lumber City Road and cross Rt. 219 to Weber Road, when he apparently failed to see a truck operated by Joseph Bishop, 36, Oakland, who was traveling northbound on Rt. 219 at the same location, police said. Both vehicles collided and came to rest on the northbound shoulder of the road.

Steyer was cited for failing to stop and yield the right of way. Bishop received minor injuries and was transported by Southern Rescue Squad to Garrett County Memorial Hospital.

## Lay Responder Course Set By Amer. Red Cross

An eight-hour course to train lay responders will be held at the Oakland American Red Cross office on Wednesday, Sept. 13, and Wednesday, Sept. 27. Classes are from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m.

Lay responders help sustain life and lessen the consequences of injuries until medical help arrives, said an ARC spokesperson. They are also trained to recognize and provide care for life-threatening cardiac and/or breathing emergencies in adults, children, and infants.

The cost of the course is \$40 for new certification and \$35 for recertification. This cost includes text, CPR kits, FA practice kit, and two certification cards.

Persons with questions may call the Garrett County office at 301-334-3810.

## On Display

Continued from Page A-1 County Chamber of Commerce office located in the Visitors Center, McHenry. Buntings cost \$75, tax included, for a set. A limited number of sets are available at this time.

To order or to request more information, persons may contact Jessica Schmidt, executive assistant, at 301-387-4386 or jessica@garrettchamber.com.



"IT'S TIME TO SHOW YOUR COLORS," said Charlie Ross, president and CEO of the Garrett County Chamber of Commerce. The official Autumn Glory bunting is now flying at the chamber's visitors center, and Ross encourages all to "show your colors" to let people know Autumn Glory is approaching. Pictured above are 2005 Autumn Glory Royalty King James Naylor and Queen Holly Wampler. See story.

## Parade Date Set

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They must be in position by 11:30 a.m. on Saturday.

Groups can include drill

team (police/military), drill team (majorette/twirling),

drum and bugle corps, marching musical unit, and

stationary musical unit. Professional, commercial, or

amateur floats also are wel-

come. Vehicle access passes to

the parade route will once

again be issued to parade

participants. Persons should

indicate on the parade application the minimum

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number of passes required. Checks and trophies will be mailed within 30 days of the parade.

Necessary forms to enter the 2006 parade and rules are available through the Chamber of Commerce.

"Show your colors," said Charlie Ross, president and CEO of the Chamber of Commerce, who encourages the more than 100 businesses and organizations that have Autumn Glory bunting to fly it early to let people know the event is coming.

"It's big, it's exciting, and

it's fun," he said of the five-day festival, which includes two parades, dinners, musical entertainment, arts, crafts, car shows, and dances.

Persons needing forms or more detailed information may contact Jessica Schmidt at 301-387-4386 or jessica@garrettchamber.com.

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## The Detention Center Administrator works under the direct supervision of the Chief Deputy at the Sheriff's Office.

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The Detention Center is an important aspect of the Sheriff's Duties. As Chief Deputy, in addition to patrol oversight, I deal with any Detention Center issue that the Administrator is unable to resolve. Over his six years as Detention Center Administrator there have been many issues that the Captain has brought to me. Each has been successfully resolved.

I, Major Gary Berkebile, Chief Deputy, am absolutely qualified to assume the role of Sheriff. For the past two months I have been your **ACTING SHERIFF**, while the Detention Center Administrator has taken more than 8 weeks of vacation this summer, leaving his duties to others. The Sheriff's Office, including the Detention Center, has continued to run smoothly.



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Beauty Bash

Join the Junior Woman's Civic Club for the first annual Beauty Bash at the McHenry House, Wisp Resort, 6 pm. Dinner, presenters, door prizes. \$35. Contact 301-387-0600 or 301-387-5898.

Old Time Music Jam Session

Join the Old Time Music jam session in the Village Church at Spruce Forest Artisan Village, Grantsville, 5:30 to 9:30 pm. Bring your instrument or sing along. Free. Contact 301-387-7067

Saturday Sept 9

Town Wide Yard Sale

Come to the town of Grantsville to find treasures among items from resident's attics & basements, beginning at 7 am. Contact 301-895-3144.

Art & Wine Festival

Don't forget to plan for the 2<sup>nd</sup> annual Art & Wine Festival benefiting the American Red Cross, 12 to 7 pm at the Garrett County Fairgrounds. Contact 301-387-4386.

Sunday, Sept 10

2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Bass Tournament

One of Deep Creek Lake's premier fishing tournaments, at Deep Creek Lake State Park Boat Ramp, 7 am to 3 pm. Sponsored by Bill's Outdoor Center & Railey Mountain Lake Vacations. Contact 301-387-3474.

Concert in the Park

Enjoy patriotic tunes, marches & familiar music with the Accident Concert Band directed by William Robinson, 4 pm in Town Park. Contact 301-746-6346.

What would you like to CROW about?

Something to CROW about is a promotion of the Garrett County Chamber of Commerce. To submit information, contact Jo Donaldson at 301-387-4386, Ext. 11 or jod@garrettchamber.com. Listen to WKHJ, the Train & WMSG for changes to these events.



## So Vote, Already!...

After many weeks of intense campaigning, by next Tuesday evening it will be all over for the many candidates vying for local, state, and federal elected offices. The primary elections on September 12 will determine the major-party candidates who will then square off in the November general election.

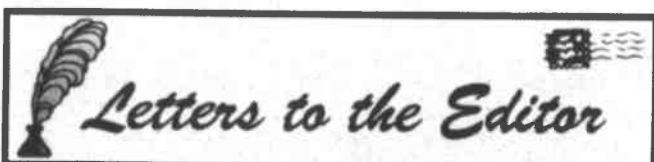
With almost an entire section of today's newspaper devoted to information, ideas, and plans of the various candidates, it is obvious that we here at this newspaper office consider elections - and voting - extremely important. There are still far too many of our citizens who do not exercise this right and fulfill this responsibility of voting. It's shameful when a better-than-50% turnout for an election is considered good.

Voting is a great equalizer, because each and every vote cast is just as important, just as powerful, as anyone else's vote, regardless of race, age, gender, income, religion, or favorite cereal. As information provided by the League of Women Voters says, "100 voters who can't afford to contribute anything can out-vote 99 soft-money giants."

Many citizens suffer from the "one vote doesn't make a difference anyway" syndrome. Yet, in 1645, one vote gave Oliver Cromwell control of England. In 1649, one vote caused Charles I of England to be executed. In 1776, one vote gave America the English language instead of German. In 1845, one vote brought Texas into the Union. In 1868, one vote saved President Andrew Johnson from being removed from office by impeachment. In 1875, one vote changed France from a monarchy to a republic. In 1876, one vote gave Rutherford B. Hayes the presidency of the United States. In 1923, one vote gave Adolf Hitler leadership of the Nazi Party. In 1941, one vote saved the Selective Service System, just weeks before Pearl Harbor was attacked.

Perhaps more importantly, a person's vote is a statement of his or her opinion to the government, about the government. Translated another way, this means that a person who does not bother to vote really has NO right to complain about anything the government does or does not do. Everyone has the right to voice an opinion, but the value of that opinion is greatly diminished and easily dismissed if the person voicing it is a non-voter.

So... vote!



To the Editor:

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the Garrett County Fair Board of Directors, the many volunteers, and the spectators for helping to make the 50th anniversary fair a success. Each and every one of you make the fair possible!

We would like to especially recognize *The Republican* newspaper and their dedicated staff who did an excellent job of printing the publications and providing great pre-fair publicity. The staff is always very courteous, friendly, professional, and more than willing to go that extra mile to get things published timely. The post-fair coverage in the supplement is phenomenal. We really appreciate your ability to showcase our week-long event and give the exposure to our youth and adults who put forth such dedication and hard work.

Mark your calendars now for the 51st annual Fair to be held August 11-18, 2007.

Sincerely,  
Debra E. Friend  
Fair President

To the Editor:

I want to express my support and appreciation to the current county commissioners. As an educator, I cannot tell you how thrilled I am that they have established the "tuition-free" program for Garrett County high school graduates to attend Garrett College. This will give all of our students a chance to experience college and find that they can be successful in that endeavor. Many students who take advantage of this will be the first in their families to attend college. It warms my heart that we are able to offer this to our young people.

As a teacher, I was fortunate to work with Dave

Beard for many years. His knowledge of government is phenomenal. I am sure that many of you who are reading this know what I am talking about because you had him for civics class at SHS. I feel extremely comfortable knowing that he is an important part of our county government because he knows what he is doing, he is able to apply what he taught to our students for over 30 years.

I have seen Dave Beard and Ernie Gregg donate countless hours to our community to make it a better place. They have been and still are very supportive of our youth. Both are shining examples of the kind of people that we want running our local government. I am sure that Fred Holliday has also made valuable contributions to his community. Garrett County continues to flourish, and I feel that our current commissioners have been an asset to our county in helping to make it a great place to live. I fully support their return to office and hope that you will too.

Sincerely,  
Jane E. Gibson

To the Editor:

And so it begins. Are we headed for a fat tax? Will parents be fined if children are overweight or even charged with child abuse?

Perhaps before purchasing a liter of soda a person will need to pass a body mass index test. It could go so far as restaurants refusing to serve people who fall into the obese category. Or, maybe they will just be seated in a separate section so their bad eating habits won't adversely affect other diners, especially the young ones.

We could begin by adding huge taxes to all foods and beverages containing sugar, starches, and animal



fats. How about criminalizing the purchase of unauthorized foods for obese people? This conjures wonderful images of carloads of round people furtively huddled near the drive-through windows of Burger Kings waiting for their "connection."

The workplace could also become a place of reform. No unauthorized foods would be allowed in the building. Those choosing to drink a soda or eat a pack of peanut butter crackers would be required to leave the building. Random weigh-ins could result in referrals to counseling or loss of health benefits.

Yes, obesity leads to an enormous number of serious and expensive health problems from joint and back injuries to heart problems and more. Yes, we as a nation need to heighten our awareness of the effects of our eating habits on our health and the health of our children. We need to eat less and move more.

Let's begin this "crusade" with education and encouragement, not taxation and punishment.

Peggy Santamaria  
Accident

To the Editor:

Several years ago, when I was in the grips of serious mental illness, many of my family thought that I would make a recovery and the illness would end. It did not, and they didn't understand that it would occur again and again. This misunderstanding isn't unusual. I've heard it quite often from the many family members and individuals with mental illness whom I've worked with over the years.

Often, I wished that somehow I could find a way to relate to them about my illness, so I would like family members of anyone with mental illness to read this "open letter to families."

This letter is a plea for your understanding and patience. We have all just come through an episode of my mental illness. I have experienced it personally and you have tried to deal with its effects while continuing to care for our family. It has not been easy, but I have done the best I know how and so have you.

As a result of this episode, I am now exhausted. Maybe I look all right to you, but inside I'm wounded. Even the least stress, the least effort is overwhelming to me. I need to just sit and pull myself together. I need to sleep a lot, and not do much at all for a while. You may feel it's your duty to help me "snap out of it," but please be gentle with me; let me heal.

If you want to do something for me, this is the thing that I would most appreciate: Learn about my illness. It is an illness that affects my ability to think, feel, and behave. I'm sorry if the effects of my illness have made your life more difficult. Learning about the illness may help you put these difficulties in perspective.

Help me find effective treatment. This takes pa-

tience and persistence. I may not have the energy to follow through by myself. I may need your help until we find people and medicines that really help.

If you want to cope with your family member's mental illness more effectively, or want to help them cope more effectively, come to the NAMI Family-to-Family support group meeting on Thursday Sept. 14, at the public library on Washington Street in Cumberland. The time is 6:30 to 8 p.m. The group meets the second Thursday of each month. For more information call 301-689-2133.

Jerry Ruby  
NAMI Allegany County

To the Editor:

I was wondering if any of the local gas stations could give me a reasonable answer to the following question. Why, before gasoline prices began to fluctuate widely approximately 1.5 years ago, were Oakland's gasoline prices either cheaper or the same price as the surrounding region, but once Oakland's prices went up they never came down at the same rate as most of the region's prices did?

For example, I was driving through Keyser yesterday (Sept. 5), and the lowest price I saw at a few gas stations was \$2.49 per gallon. That same day the lowest price I saw in Oakland was \$2.75 per gallon.

I also drive through Gorman on my way to work every day, and before the price fluctuations, gasoline was normally approximately \$0.15 higher than Oakland. Now it is approximately \$0.01 cheaper than Oakland. I also travel to Pennsylvania periodically, and before the price fluctuations, the prices I saw were approximately the same as those in Oakland. That is not the case anymore. This fact isn't based on one small snapshot in time, but I've observed these prices over the last couple of years at these various locations.

Now I am questioning the big picture of why energy costs are rising throughout the world (i.e., supply/demand, speculators, etc.), but I don't understand the flip in costs from Oakland being reasonable in price to Oakland being more expensive than towns in West Virginia, which are sometimes more remote than Oakland, not to mention that the state of West Virginia has a higher tax rate on their gasoline than does Maryland.

Needless to say, I primarily buy my gas now in either West Virginia, Pennsyl-

vania, or even Deep Creek Lake. (Never thought I would do that a couple of years ago.)

Regards,  
Phil Schaeffer  
Mtn. Lake Park

To the Editor:

Last year Planned Parenthood (an allegory) aided by hypocritical "witch doctors" of the Hippocratic oath, barbarically butchered 255,015 babies at a cost to taxpayers of \$272.2 million dollars (over \$1000 for each human life). Compare that number of "justifiable" deaths to the 2,612 (as of 8/23/06) that the liberal TV networks continuously report as "unjustifiable" in the Iraqi war, yet these innocent deaths are never mentioned.

These evil angels of death have, without conscience, murdered 45 million living souls since 1973 at a cost to taxpayers of \$3.0 billion ("B") dollars. This loss of life is greater than all of the wars the USA has fought combined. Most polls show the majority of us are pro-life. Why then are we subjected to minority rule?

"Bud" Raley gave you the correct reason in his letter last week. Elect politicians with values that are the same as yours, demand they vote your way rather than their own, and dispose of socialist organizations like the American Civil Liberties Union as anti-religious and anti-American.

It, too, is a misnamed allegory whose title should be Anti-Christ's Liberal Underground. Heed Mr. Raley's advice and America will live; ignore it, and silently suffer as it goes to hell.

The letter from Dr. Michael DeWitt defending homosexuality is in direct opposition to what the Bible

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## Community Calendar

### MEETINGS

The board of trustees for the Ruth Enlow Library will meet at the Oakland library on Thursday, Sept. 21, at 4 p.m. The public is invited to attend.

The Beacon, a peer outreach and support service for individuals with mental illness, meets every Friday at Harvey House, from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m.

The TOPS Club Chapter 379 meets Monday evenings at Mtn. Glade Day Care Center, Pythian St., Oakland. Weigh-in is at 5:30, with the meeting immediately following. New mem-

## Senior Citizens' Menus

Community Action's Area Agency on Aging Senior Nutrition Program menus for the week of September 11-15 are as follows:

Monday - Stir fry pork w/Oriental vegetables, brown rice, baked acorn squash, plums, roll, milk.

Tuesday - Marinated black-eyed peas on shredded lettuce, beef stew w/carrots, potatoes & turnips, peaches, biscuit, milk.

Wednesday - Waldorf salad, sloppy joe on whole wheat bun, green beans, cantaloupe chunks, milk.

Thursday - Cole slaw, crispy fried fish, Harvard beets, baked beans, stewed tomatoes, corn bread, milk.

Friday - Cranberry salad, roast turkey w/gravy, sage dressing, mashed potatoes, broccoli, pineapple tidbits, milk.

Coffee or tea served with all meals.

Reservations for meals are required. Meal reservations and cancellations are to be made at the nutrition site or senior center prior to the next service day. Reservations or cancellations may be made no later than 9 a.m. on the service day if absolutely necessary. Individuals who are able to give the full cost of the meal are encouraged to do so; however, all contributions are welcome. Days of congregate meals and telephone numbers of individual sites follow: Grantsville Senior Center, Grantsville, Tu, W & Th, 301-895-5818, Kitzmiller Community Building, Kitzmiller, W, Th & F, 301-453-3445; Mary Browning Senior Center, Oakland, M, W & F, 301-334-9431, ext. 134, Old Mill Restaurant, Gorman, Tu, Th & Sa, 301-334-4865; Swanton Community Building, Swanton, M & Tu, 301-387-9191; Friendsville Community Building, Friendsville, M, Tu & W, 301-746-5300.

Please note that home-delivered meal clients receive the same menus.

For more information about the Senior Nutrition Program, persons may call 301-334-9431, ext. 137.

## Posted Note

By Mary Sincell McEwen

### 2006, A FLORIDA ODYSSEY Part Six

I have to say that of all the amazing, thrilling, eye-crossing places and activities Orlando has to offer, my forever favorite is the Magic Kingdom. I can't help it. I know, it's expensive, it's trite, it's to be made fun of by all cynics out there, but I just love it, and I love it the most. Walking through that entryway and seeing the castle at the end of that lively, crowded street, where every storefront is perfect and the music is pounding in my ears - well, I just love it. I admit it and embrace it. So there.

This trip to the Magic Kingdom was about my seventh. I do know the place fairly well, and it holds nice memories for me. When I was in the 8th grade, I went for the first time with my parents, as my sister was going with the Southern High School band for a competition there. It was only about the second "real" vacation we had, and it was always fascinating to see my dad in such a different light. He worked all the time, and to watch him enjoying himself in the middle of the Magic Kingdom, laughing and relaxing - well, that was something totally new. So when I go there, even seven times since, I think of Dad and of how he was tickled by the Haunted Mansion and moved by the Hall of Presidents. It's a great memory.

But back to 2006! It was Saturday (travel tip: that's the best day to visit Disney places in the summer because most people use the weekends for travel) and we boarded the ferry to cross that swampy lake that surrounds the kingdom. We were excited as the boat docked and all those friendly people ushered us off, directing us to the other friendly people who tore through our backpack to make sure we weren't going to blow anything up. Ah, the 2000s... Anyhow, we entered the park at last. But were we sucked into the lollygagging, mouths-hanging-open, staring crowd at the entrance? Heck, no! We were a family with a plan! We had it figured out - we checked it as fast as possible past all the zombies and flew to the number-one attraction on our list - the Pirates of the Caribbean. That one is possibly the favorite of all five of us. I have loved it since I first rode it at age 13. And oh, man, we were so smart! There was no line! None! The boys had Christmas-morning faces as we flew down into the dungeon with no one in our way. What a rush. And then, add to our elation the fact that the ride has been upgraded to include the beautiful Captain Jack Sparrow. It really is as if Johnny Depp is in there with you, popping up out of barrels or counting his gold. Such fun.

Our plan of outrunning the mainstream crowd continued to work for us. After thoroughly enjoying the pirates, we hoofed it to the Haunted Mansion and again waited about five minutes total. Brer Rabbit's Splash Mountain, another favorite, came next, which of course got our shoes wet for the day. And then we sat down for the always-impressive Hall of Presidents. We felt so accomplished! We were tearing up the place without having to wait anywhere. So satisfying. We looked smugly at the crowds just then making their way to "our" part of the park, and we smiled knowingly...

We hopped the train then and went to Tomorrowland, which also is chock full of memories for both me and for John. His parents took him when he was about 10 or 11, too, and we have some hilariously similar photographs of our families standing there grinning in our 70's attire. Being about 6 when the Moon landing took place, John and I are officially among the generation that adored the whole Space Race. We ate Space Food Sticks, drank Tang, and pretended our bikes were Lunar Rovers. So Space Mountain has a totally different feel for us 40-somethings. Our kids don't even know when the shuttle goes up. My parents had us all gather at the TV every single time something like that happened. So Space Mountain to my boys was fun, but not all that ultra amazing. To John and me, it was great. And, still fronting the surging crowd because we were so totally smart about it, we didn't have to wait very long.

We went into the Carousel of Progress, which is beginning to show its age, and rode the little "transit authority" tram. We shot Zurg all to pieces in Buzz Lightyear's Space Ranger Spin, and then the boys and John rode those famous tea-cups always shown in any Disney promo. I opted out - spinning around doesn't do anything but make me dizzy. And I don't need any more dizziness in my life.

Our run-around-the-crowd plan came to a screeching halt, I'm afraid, when we popped into the line for Thunder Mountain. All bets were off. We stood there for over an hour in this cramped, tight line, with impatient people (us included). And it was in that line when I realized I would not be a very good mother to a girl. Not at this point in my life. There was a man who stood at least 6 feet 5. He was TALL. And he had a daughter, who stood about 2 feet. She commenced to hollering about how bored she was, and how stupid her big brother was, and the noises that were coming out of her throat could've deafened a stone. Holy socks, Batman. She was tiny, but she sure could squeal. Boys don't squeal, in general. It was like those moments in Star Trek when some kind of sound is emitted and everyone grabs their ears and falls to floor, grimacing and rolling around. That's the kind of noise she was making. Her daddy tried first to be stern with her. That raised her pitch about 50 decibels. So then he tried the picking-her-up-and-cuddling thing, and she screwed up her face and glared at him, still making noise. That big man was totally perplexed. His face was red, and he just didn't know what to do, yet everyone in the line was waiting for him to figure it out. After nearly 15 years of being a mother to three boys, I knew then and there that I wouldn't be good with a girl. I'm too sarcastic, and they're too squeally. God knew what he was doing with me, I guess.

Our day at the Magic Kingdom ended with a most spectacular fireworks and music display. It was so thrilling, it gave us all chills. Even John. They do know how to entertain, that is for sure. What fun!

To be continued...

bers are welcome.

Alcoholics Anonymous meets every Saturday and Sunday at 10 a.m., Monday at 6 p.m. and 8 p.m., and Sunday, Monday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday at 8 p.m., and Wednesday at noon and Tuesday evening at 7:30 p.m., at The Liberty Club, 125 Liberty St., Oakland; Thursday at 6 p.m. at St. Peter's Catholic Church, Fourth St., Oak-

land. The McHenry chapter of AA meets Tuesdays at 8 p.m. at the Deep Creek Baptist Church along Rt. 219 across from Uno's.

Al-Anon Family Group meets at 125 Liberty Club, Oakland (use side entrance), every Monday at 8 p.m.

Narcotics Anonymous (NA) meets every Wednesday at 8 p.m. at the 125 Liberty Club along Liberty St., Oakland, 301-334-1298.

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### MISCELLANEOUS

Garrett County Community Action Committee Inc. will host Asset Builders workshops to prepare students for life after high school. These workshops are free of charge. They will be held from 6 until 7 p.m. at the Mary Browning Center in Oakland on Wednesday, Oct. 4; Wednesday, Oct. 11; and Wednesday, Oct. 18. For more information persons may call Cindy Lynch at 301-334-9431, ext. 108, by Oct. 2 for reservations.

The Knights of Columbus will hold their annual Pit Beef and Shrimp Bash on Saturday, Sept. 16 from 6 until 10 p.m. in St. Peter's the Apostle Church social hall, Oakland. The event is only for adult patrons. Tickets are \$20 per person, and are available by calling Bill Heise at 301-334-4781 or 240-321-0876. Only 200 tickets will be sold.

A benefit co-ed softball tournament will be held at the Broadford Park ball field, Sept. 9-10. The entry fee is \$125 per team, which will consist of six male and six female players. Proceeds will be used to pay medical expenses for Robert Lee "Boomer" Helmick. For more information, persons may call Patty Chapman at 240-321-7821.

A softball tournament to benefit multiple sclerosis funding will be held Sept. 16-17 at Terra Alta Park. For team entry, persons may call Mike Fazenbaker at 304-789-6682.

Christian artist Janet Paschal will be the featured performer at the God's Ark of Safety annual banquet on Saturday, Sept. 9, at 6:30 p.m. at Frostburg State University. The cost is \$20 per person. To make reservations, persons may call 301-689-3551.

### CHURCH

The Friendsville United Methodist Church, Water St., Friendsville, will have a homemade vegetable soup and hot rolls dinner Sept. 15, from 4 to 7 p.m. Carry-outs and quarts available.

Grace Lutheran Church, Friendsville, will have a flea market/bake sale on Saturday, Sept. 9 at 9:30 a.m. Homemade soup, sandwiches, desserts, and drinks will be available.

### REUNIONS

Plans are being made for the 6th Swanton School reunion, set for Saturday, Sept. 16, at the Swanton Community Center, the former Swanton School. A covered dish meal is planned for noon at the pavilion. All former students, teachers, employees, and their families are invited. Persons with questions or ideas may call Amelia Wolf at 301-334-3077 or Audrey Friend at 301-387-9523.



## CROCODILE TEARS



## Arrest Two

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property. The incident occurred on July 18 when the two allegedly stole trout from the Bear Creek Rearing Station, which is a state fish hatchery facility located in Accident that raises

brown and rainbow trout. These fish are cultured to catchable size and stocked throughout Maryland for put and take fishing opportunities, said an NRP spokesperson.

Logsdon is being held on a \$3,000 bond, and McKenzie is being held on a \$5,000 bond, according to police.

## Re-Elect

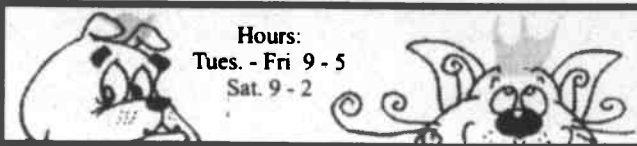
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for purchasing my 2006 market steer.

Sara Holler



**A GIFT OF WORDS** — The Grantsville Rotary Club distributed dictionaries to two area schools this week in honor of International Literacy Day, which is Friday, Sept. 8. It has been celebrated every September since 1965, when it was first established by the United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization (UNESCO). The Rotary Club distributed a total of about 200 dictionaries to third graders and new students at Salisbury-Elk Lick Elementary School in Salisbury Pa., and at Grantsville Elementary. Last year, dictionaries were distributed to third, fourth, and fifth grade students. Teachers integrate the dictionaries into their classroom work throughout the year. Pictured above are some members of the Salisbury group. In the front row, from left, are Brooke Kemp, Earl Yoder (Grantsville Rotary member), Josh Butler, Jeffery Nicholson, Madison McKinley, Erica Menges, and Jacob Housel. In the back row are third grade teacher Becky McKinley, Tyler Sanner, Austin Trowbridge, Matt Geiger, Brynne Kemp, and Rebecca Wright. Pictured below are members of the Grantsville group. In the front row are Dalton Graham, Principal Barb Baker, Lori Messina, and David Bittinger. In the back row are Mikaila Tice, Danae Mast, Kaleesha Wilburn, and Mark Diehl, Grantsville Rotary Club president.



The births of five area babies were announced this week, two boys and three girls.

A daughter was born to John and Stacy (Lewis) Cramer, Terra Alta, W.Va., on Aug. 28 at Garrett County Memorial Hospital. A daughter was born to

James and Kellee (Losh) Brandon, Terra Alta, W.Va., on Aug. 25 at Garrett County Memorial Hospital.

A son was born to Holli Harris and Rex Hoalcraft Jr., Oakland, on Aug. 26, at Garrett County Memorial Hospital.

A son, Logan Thomas, was born to B.K. and Melissa Shepard, Morgantown, W.Va., on July 18 at Mon General Hospital, Morgantown. The paternal grandparents are Bernard and Carolyn Shepard, Aurora, W.Va., and the maternal grandparents are Joyce McGhee, Martinsville, Va., and the late Glenn Compton.

A daughter, Kadin Mackenzie, was born to Samantha and John Beachy, Martinsburg, W.Va., on Aug. 4 at City Hospital, Martinsburg. The paternal grandparents are John and Donna Beachy, Grantsville, and Janice Beachy, Swanton, and the maternal grandparents are Mike and Diane Fontaine, Accident.

## Letters

Continued from Page A-4 says — therefore another liberal lie. He cannot prove his claims statistically, numerically, or medically. The Bible says it is unnatural, an abomination, and a sin. His claims are wishful thinking. Sometime soon I will see Isaiah fulfilled: "The vile person shall be no more called liberal" — Isaiah 32:5. Bob Groves

To the Editor:  
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However, the number of emergency calls responded to is not equal. In 2005 Deep Creek VFD handled 568 calls, Bloomington had 7, Kitzmiller had 95, Gorman had 125, Bittering had 133, Friendsville, 242 (some in McHenry), Deer Park, 239, Accident, 211, Grantsville, 205, Eastern Garrett, 140, and Oakland had 411. Many calls handled by Oakland were in mutual aid to DCLVFD because DCL has no ladder truck, which is a serious shortfall for DCLVFD as they cannot access a building over 25' by ladder. With building heights of 60', this is a real problem.

Deep Creek volunteers are responsible for 80% of the lake and they are responding to so many calls they have no time to conduct fundraisers. They need our support to protect our properties.

Here's what you can do:  
1. To remedy the immediate shortfall of funds, send a donation. Make your checks out to: Deep Creek Volunteer Fire Company, and send them to: Chief Rodcheaver, P.O. Box 419, McHenry, MD 21541. If you are a POA member, put "POA member match" on the memo line. The POA has agreed to match member donations up to a total of \$5,000.  
2. For the long-term remedy, write the commissioners (Courthouse, Oakland,

MD 21550) and urge them to change the current fire station funding policy to a more equitable allocation, based upon geographic area sizing and number of emergency calls. We need a change in funding now. Tourism is the economic engine of Garrett

County. The bulk of the DCLVFD calls are tourist/visitor related situations. Consider it a cost of doing business.

Let's show the DCL volunteers our appreciation and support!

Charlie Thorne

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## Re-Elect

★★★★  
**Joseph DiSimone**  
Register of Wills  
for Garrett County

- There is no substitute for experience.
  - Has served as Register for 28 years.
  - Dedicated to serving the people of Garrett County.
  - Facilitates several seminars on wills and probate for the public annually.
- I would appreciate your vote & support in the September 12th Primary Election.**

By authority of Harry L. Biggs, Jr., Treasurer

## THANK YOU

Roger Streets — Streets Store, Masontown, WV,  
for purchasing my 2006 Market Steer,  
Dr. & Mrs. David Tuel for purchasing my 2006 Market Hog.

Justin Ashby

Hugh Umbel — Foodland Fresh for purchasing my 2006 Grand Champion County Bred Steer,  
Kym Newmann & Mark Utterbach of Long & Foster for purchasing my 2006 Reserve Grand Champion Market Hog.

Todd Custer

Roger Streets — Streets Store, Masontown, WV,  
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Lee Custer

We would like to thank all of our back-up bidders and give a special thank you to Jarrett Rasel of 84 Lumber for his donation to North Glade 4-H Club.

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## YOUR VOTE COUNTS ON TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12TH!

Are any of the following issues important to you? They are to Jay Moyer. Jay would like to address:

- Lack of regional utility offices (gas, electric, telephone) for the convenience and safety of our citizens.
- Rising health care costs and settlement caps on malpractice lawsuits that are too high.
- Funding for a vo-tech training center in Garrett County to ensure better skilled and qualified workers.
- Finishing the Route 36 upgrade in Georges Creek.
- Assurance of funding of the Thornton Act for betterment of our school system.
- Establishing legislation that requires the residence of all sexual offenders and child molesters be identified and posted with a notification plaque.
- Providing salaries and benefits for fire and rescue volunteers.
- Reducing the potential of flooding in the Georges Creek area.
- Ensuring a reliable source of drinking water for the Georges Creek area.

**Remember: Jay Moyer is the youngest candidate with the most years of true Governmental experience. His stability, hard work, and dependability are unparalleled!**

*"I will work for you, the people of Garrett and Allegany Counties.  
I respectfully request your support by voting for me on Tuesday, September 12, 2006."*

# JAY MOYER

**Republican Candidate for  
Maryland House of Delegates, District 1-A**



**When considering Jay Moyer, consider the following:**

- Jay Moyer has over 30 years of service to his employer.
- He is president of the Allegheny-Garrett Chapter of the Maryland Municipal League.
- Jay is a member of: •St. Mark's Lutheran Church •The Sons of the American Legion •The National Rifle Association •The Garrett County Historical Society
- He is a life-long conservative Republican.

An election is about more than radio commercials, newspaper ads, flyers, mailing, billboards and yard signs. It is about which candidate has the background and experience to serve the citizens the best; which candidate is the most qualified and willing to work for you, the people.

Of the five Republicans running for Delegate from District 1-A, I am the only candidate that is presently a public official. Within the last 20 years, two of the other candidates have not held elected public office and the remaining two served one term each, as commissioners, but failed to win re-election by the voters.

Within the last two decades, however, I have won re-election to public office - not just once, but nine times. Thus, within the last 20 years, I have 3 times the elected experience as all the other candidates, combined. I believe I have been re-elected repeatedly because I have been effective in serving the voters.

Some might ask, "So, you've worked for Oakland for 20 years, how does that prepare you to help the other communities in the District?" The answer is that as a member of the Town Council, I don't work for Oakland, I work for the people who elected me. As Delegate from District 1-A, I would do the same; work hard to serve all the people of Garrett County and Georges Creek.

On Tuesday, September 12, 2006, you will have the opportunity to choose who will represent you in the House of Delegates, District 1-A. Send experience to Annapolis. VOTE for someone who will listen to you and represent your interests. I am asking for your vote on Tuesday, September 12th • **EVERY VOTE COUNTS!** Thank you.



# VOTE JAY MOYER

## ON TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12<sup>TH</sup>

By Authority: William Kenny, Treasurer; Joyce Moyer, Chairman

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Entertainer Franko Richmond Will  
Return To Our Town Theatre Stage



Pianist, composer, and entertainer Franko Richmond will perform a program of his favorite music, along with audience requests, at Our Town Theatre on Saturday, Sept. 9, at 8 p.m. Sponsored by Irene and David Eyer, the event will also include a champagne and chocolate reception with the artist.

Richmond is the protégé of classical concert pianist Earl Wild and jazz legend Ahmad Jamal. He began his career as a child prodigy and teenage international

competition pianist, performing in Carnegie Hall. He was on scholarship at Chautauqua Institute and studied privately at the Curtis Institute in Philadelphia.

The musician graduated magna cum laude from Lycoming College in Pennsylvania, became Earl Wild's teaching assistant at Penn State University, earning an M.F.A., and was awarded the Mellon Pre-Doctoral Fellowship at the University of Pittsburgh, where he worked on a Ph.D.

At age 23, Richmond Center in Washington,



**GLAF CELEBRATES 20 YEARS** - Founding members of the Garrett Lakes Arts Festival, along with several guests, gathered late last month for a "Founders' Fete" to celebrate the 20th anniversary of the organization's existence. GLAF is a presenter of the arts in Garrett County, and has been providing seasons of entertainment since 1986. A large group of local persons and businesses helped launch GLAF with monetary donations, and continue to support the organization's mission of bringing the arts to Garrett County. The evening featured the acknowledgment of several individuals who have played key roles in GLAF, as well as the recognition of the founders who were in attendance. In the photo above left, Moe Turrentine, the current chairman of the GLAF board of directors, is shown as he accepts a citation from Theresa Colvin, executive director of the Maryland State Arts Council. The document commended the GLAF organization and its many volunteers. The founders who attended the event are pictured above right. Seated, from left, are Edith Brock and Patty Bobo



(representing the Civic Club of Oakland), Helen Earles, Bonnie and Bill Fedde, Tom Johnson (Garrett Medical Group), Milford Beckman (Garrett National Bank), Nancy Helbig (Gonder Insurance), and Steve and Gail Herman. Standing in the same order are Herbert Leighton, Joe Winters (Lions Club of Oakland), Willetta Mateer (Mateer and Zimmerman, Accountants), Hannah Sincell and Don Sincell (*The Republican* newspaper/Sincell Publishing Co.), Daryl Walters (Rotary Club of Oakland), Jacquelyn Shlirer, Karen Myers, Helmuth and Evelyn Heise (Will O' the Wisp), and Karen and Hop Wooddell. In the photo below left, Turrentine and Lucinda Williams, executive director of GLAF, are pictured as they bid farewell to Ben Sincell, who is retiring from his 20-year position as technical director for the organization. Williams read a lengthy

"help wanted" advertisement, listing the many skills and work Sincell has offered to GLAF over the years. GLAF presented Sincell with a weekend get-away package in Pittsburgh for him and his wife Beverly, and Williams announced that Sincell will be named the first "technical director emeritus," and will continue to have his name included in all references to the GLAF board. In the photo below right are Kathryn Sincell-Corwell and Dr. Steve Herman, pictured as they make the first cuts in the GLAF "birthday" cake. Sincell-Corwell was recognized for her work as founder of the classical music series of GLAF, which she launched along with the late Erick Friedman. Herman, also a founder, was the first chairman of the GLAF board. Photos by John McEwen.



## VOTE Ed Clemons, Jr.



for Garrett County  
**Republican  
Central  
Committee**

Authority: Edith Clemons, Treasurer

appeared at the Kennedy D.C., as the guest soloist with the National Symphony Orchestra under the direction of Anatol Dorati.

Richmond is a recording artist, has co-authored two Broadway shows, and has written a movie score. His environmental theme song, "The Time Has Come," received international attention at the 1992 United Nations Earth Summit in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, where it was sung by street children to world leaders.

In Manaus, Brazil, in the Amazon, the song was sung by 150 international students in three languages, and was televised and broadcast to 50 countries. The melody was chosen as the theme for the 25th anniversary of Earth Day in 1995 in the U.S. and abroad.

Richmond is published by Hal Leonard and is a Steinway artist. The Florida Keys Council of the Arts chose him as the recipient of the 2002 Renaissance Award.

The program is sold out, according to an OTT spokesperson. Events and shows at Our Town Theatre are made possible in part by grants from the Maryland State Arts Council and the Garrett County Arts Council.

## Rodney Durst Releases New Gospel Album

Durst Music Group and Crimson River Recordings of Garrett County recently announced its latest project, *Door Man to the King* by Rodney Lewis Durst. This gospel album is best described as "contemporary country with a taste of Southern gospel," said a spokesperson. This is Durst's third gospel album and marks his return to gospel music.

According to Durst, he chose this title because when he was a young man, he was a ceremonial escort for President Ronald Reagan. One of his jobs was to open the door for visitors who came to see the president. Durst said he hopes the CD can be used to open the door to a lost soul's heart, therefore, making Rodney a door man to the king.

The CD, which contains a six-page booklet of pictures of Durst and Reagan, written comments and Bible verses, is available at RL-Durst.com, CD Baby, Gregg's Pharmacy, Emmaus Road Christian Store, and Swanton Grocery Gas and Liquor.

"Door Man to the King" is

not your typical gospel album; it is a concept album that starts in the Old Testament with the song 'God Will Provide,' and then moves to the New Testament with two songs about the deity of Christ: 'Lunatic, Liar or God' and 'More than a Man.' Both songs chal-

lenge the listener to search the Scriptures to find out for themselves if Jesus was more than a man," said Durst.

"The same prophets of old that predicted the birth, death, and resurrection of Jesus also predicted that

Jesus would rule this world from Jerusalem as king for a thousand years. Jesus also promised that he would return as the king. That's why I'm asking you, What will Jesus do?" Durst added. Persons who would like to book a Durst concert for

a local church or club may do so by visiting RL-Durst.com.

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  - Garrett County Social Services Board
  - Garrett County Area Agency on Aging
  - Garrett County Development Corporation
  - Garrett County Historical Society
  - Garrett County Retired School Personnel Association - (Immediate past president)
  - Maryland Association of Counties

I am proud of these organizations that I serve and the educational background that I bring to the office as your  
**County Commissioner.**

By authority: Beverly J. Beard

**Let's Continue What We Started, Together!**



In the Republican Primary for the House of Delegates...

# One Candidate Stands Out-Brenda Butscher

Vote For

## Brenda Butscher

Republican Candidate for the Maryland House of Delegates District 1-A  
Leadership for Western Maryland



Brenda Butscher has been a long time friend of mine. Brenda has always been a team player for her community and for all of us in Annapolis. Raised on a farm she has great family values and a strong work ethic. She has been elected to public offices by Western Marylanders many times.

Brenda is one of the most sincere, honest and action oriented people I know. She has worked tirelessly to make life better for many Western Marylanders.

Brenda is no stranger to politics in Annapolis. She is well known and has worked with legislators for years. Brenda is a team player and she will bring honesty and leadership for Western Maryland to Annapolis. We need Brenda Butscher in the Maryland House of Delegates representing Legislative District 1-A.

Lieutenant Governor Michael Steele



I am writing to share my strong endorsement of Brenda Butscher as the most outstanding candidate in the District 1-A race for the House of Delegates.

I have known Brenda for years through hospice and through her efforts within her Party. She has been an advocate for our patients and understands politics. She is the type of person who can fight for our issues in Annapolis and actually get things done.

She'll be able to work across the aisle with her contacts in Annapolis and be a persuasive advocate for health care reform, malpractice tort reform, and an ally to health care professionals across the board.

Brenda Butscher has long been an advocate for the citizens of Garrett County in her role in the field of hospice. Now there is an opportunity for the citizens of Garrett County to have strong support from Brenda as a legislator in the Maryland General Assembly.

Sincerely,  
Michael Gloth  
F. Michael Gloth III, M.D., F.A.C.P., A.G.S.F.

Associate Professor of Medicine, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine



I was a neighbor of Brenda Butscher for years. She was a good neighbor and friend. I signed up as a Hospice volunteer and began to see her as a professional, the Executive Director of Hospice.

She is a strong leader, a compassionate person and willing to do anything to help patients and their families through the most difficult time of their lives.

I saw her as a Garrett County Commissioner. Again, she was a leader and worked for all the people. I am honored to support and work for Brenda Butscher for her campaign for the House of Delegates. I ask my friends to support Brenda and to vote for her.

Junior "Cookie Man" Ferguson- Most Beautiful Person 2005

### A Message from Brenda Butscher:

In the Republican Primary for the House of Delegates one thing stands out...  
**EXPERIENCE**

Experience, Leadership, Political Expertise, and Honesty stand out as requirements to do a good job for ALL the people in Garrett and Allegany Counties.

As your delegate I can and will fulfill that job description.

Experience and Community Involvement count when you're thinking of the type of person you want to represent you as your Delegate from Garrett and Allegany Counties in Annapolis. I have more experience than any of the other candidates and I ask you to think of **experience** when you vote on September 12 and Vote for **Brenda Butscher**.

- I am the only candidate with 17 years as a health care professional. I will work for health care reform and malpractice tort reform.
- I will support legislation to Abolish Parole for sex offenders, rapists and murders.
- I will support legislation to extend the bear-hunting season, repeal the bear license lottery program and the bear quota system.
- I will support our children's education and school systems.
- I will support legislation to help our senior citizens. I am a senior citizen and understand their needs such as health care, housing, transportation, meals, etc.
- I will support the need to exempt Garrett County from the Flush Tax.
- I will hold the line on Taxes and Fees.
- I will support legislation that would enable our retirees' pensions to be tax-free.
- I would work toward fiscal stability in state government.
- I would support our state and county Law Enforcement Officers. And our Fire and Rescue Volunteers.
- I support the 2nd Amendment Right to Bear Arms and I am a member of the NRA.
- I will support better and safer roads and highways.
- I support Family Values and I am Pro-Life.
- I support strong business and better jobs with decent pay scales.
- I will work to increase the independence of our local business operations.

As I have said before I have the political background with a history of 40 years. The citizens of Western Maryland have elected me 10 times. I have served as the first and only Woman County Commissioner in Garrett County's 135-year history.

I have been the Chairman of the Garrett County Republican Central Committee for many years and you have elected me to represent the Republican Party at three Republican National Conventions as your delegate. I have been appointed by the Maryland Republican Party to serve as an alternate delegate 4 times.

I have made hundreds of trips to Annapolis and Washington, DC. I have lobbied for and against many Senate and House bills. I am well known, experienced and respected by legislators across the State of Maryland. I know my way around Annapolis.

Today I want to share with you some statements from elected officials, Health Care Professionals, and friends that I have worked with over the years. I want to thank Governor Robert Ehrlich, Lt. Governor Michael Steele, State Senator Larry Haines, Delegate Robert McKee, Dr. Michael Gloth, Erwin Abrams CEO and President of the Hospice Network of Maryland, and Junior Ferguson, Garrett County's Most Beautiful Person 2005.

**A special thank-you goes out to the organizations that have endorsed me as their candidate of choice for House of Delegates District 1-A:**

MARYLAND NURSES ASSOCIATION POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE  
WESTERN MARYLAND CENTRAL LABOR COUNCIL  
MARYLAND STATE-AMERICAN FEDERATION OF LABOR  
PRO-LIFE MARYLAND PAC  
GARRETT COUNTY FRATERNAL ORDER OF POLICE LODGE #99



Pictured above left to right: Shawn Fratz, PAC Committee Member; Brenda Butscher, Candidate for the House of Delegates District 1-A; Robbie Zimmerman, Vice President F. O. P. Lodge #99

**My sincere thanks goes out to these organizations and their members and to all who have helped me in any way. A special thank-you to all of you that take the time to vote for Brenda Butscher.**

**Brenda Butscher asks for YOUR VOTE September 12th  
Elect**

**A Sincere and Honest Voice for YOU in Annapolis  
Leadership for Western Maryland**



Brenda Butscher is a solid and responsive candidate for the Maryland House of Delegates, representing District 1A. She will work hard on behalf of the people of the district. She has great integrity and a common sense approach that is needed in government today.

Governor Robert L. Ehrlich, Jr.



Brenda is an individual of sound moral principle, uprightness, honesty, and sincerity. She will work hard to get things done in Annapolis and take the values of the hardworking families of Garrett and Allegany Counties onto the floor of the House of Delegates.

We need Brenda Butscher, a Republican Delegate who will strictly adhere to Republican principles to help get the job done in Annapolis.

State Senator Larry E. Haines—Legislative District 5 Carroll & Baltimore Counties



Delegate Bob McKee—Maryland House of Delegates District 2-A

I have been a friend of Brenda Butscher since the early 1970's. She has always been strongly involved in the Republican Party. Over those same years, she has also been strongly involved in her community. Currently, she shows her compassion for the citizens of Garrett County through her work as the Executive Director of Hospice.

Knowing Brenda Butscher as I do, I strongly support her candidacy for the House of Delegates in District 1-A.

It is an honor to endorse Brenda Butscher for the Maryland House of Delegates.

Brenda has worked in Annapolis repeatedly for legislation that has helped Community Based Hospice Agencies across the state of Maryland.

Brenda has consistently demonstrated honesty, integrity, intelligence and commitment to the people of Western Maryland and the entire state.

Erwin E. Abrams—President of the Hoapice Network of Maryland

Visit my Website at: [www.brendabutscher.com](http://www.brendabutscher.com) for more of my Background and Experience.  
Paid for By Friends of Brenda Butscher, James Raley, Chairman; Tania Glotfelty, Treasurer

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## Arts Council To Present Print Making Classes

Cumberland artist Jean Barnes Downs will present a free demonstration about that is created by applying monotype print making at the Gallery in Oakland on Sept. 12 from 1 to 3 p.m. by hand. It is considered to be the most "painterly" of the art form may enroll in her workshop, "Creating Luminous Monotypes," to Downs, who will introduce

be held Oct. 2 through 5 at the Discovery Center, Deep Creek Lake State Park. Both the demonstration and the workshop are presentations of the Garrett County Arts Council.

A monotype is a print that is created by applying paint or ink to paper by means of a printing press or by hand. It is considered to be the most "painterly" of the fine art printing techniques, according to Downs, who will introduce



**MONOTYPE DEMONSTRATION SLATED** - Cumberland artist Jean Barnes Downs will present a monotype print making demonstration at the Gallery on Sept. 12 and a workshop at the Discovery Center on Oct. 2 through 4. The registration deadline for the workshop is Sept. 23. Downs is pictured above demonstrating her craft. Below is a monotype she created titled "Lone Oak." See story.



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demonstration and workshop participants to a unique way of creating monotypes by using a plate constructed of unflavored gelatin.

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Downs has worked with monotypes for over 12 years, creating hundreds of prints reflecting her love of nature and concern for the environment.

"Working through the creative process is akin to a journey," she said. "There is something in this process that connects us to a basic inner longing and to the giver of all creativity. The finished product is a joy-filled side benefit."

Downs's workshop at the Discovery Center will be held from 10 a.m. until 3 p.m. The enrollment fee for the three-day workshop is \$150, and includes materials

and tools. The enrollment deadline is Sept. 23.

Reservations are not required for the free demonstration at the Gallery on Sept. 12.

Additional information about the demonstration and workshop is available by calling the Garrett County Arts Council at 301-334-6580.

### Accident Band To Give Annual Concert In Park

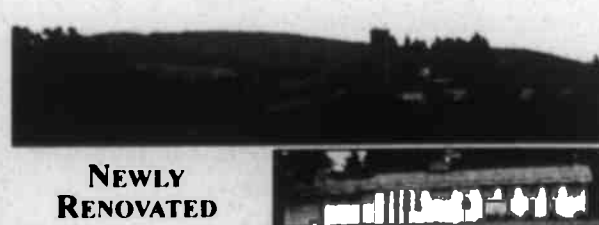
The Accident Concert Band will present its annual Concert in the Park on Sunday, Sept. 10, at 4 p.m., at the Accident Town Park pavilion.

The band is under the direction of William Robinson. The concert will feature patriotic tunes, marches, and familiar music, a spokesperson said. There will be a short tribute to former bandmaster Melvin Schwing, who died recently.

The presentation is open to the public. Guests are invited to bring lawn chairs for the event. For more information, persons may call the Accident Town Hall at 301-746-8234.

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## Arts at Glance

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THURSDAY, Sept. 7

• Artists' Reception for metal sculptor Kenny Braitman and nature photographer Caroline Blizzard at the Gallery in Oakland, 7 to 9 p.m. (301-334-6580)

FRIDAY, Sept. 8

• Old Time Music Jam at Village Church, Spruce Forest Artisan Village, Grantsville, 6 to 9 p.m. Come to listen or to play. Donations appreciated. (301-895-3332)

• Second Annual Deep Creek Lake Art and Wine Festival, benefiting the American Red Cross, begins with area restaurants offering special wine pairing dinners, tastings, and displays featuring local artists. (888-387-5237)

SATURDAY, Sept. 9

• Second Annual Deep Creek Lake Art and Wine Festival, benefiting the American Red Cross, at Garrett County Fairgrounds, McHenry, noon to 7 p.m. Adult admission of \$20 for adults 21 and over includes 10 wine tastings, commemorative wine glass, and entertainment. Admission for guests under 21 is \$5; children 5 and under are admitted free. (888-387-5237)

• Nathan and Jenny Wilson and Siang, acoustic pop and jazz, Cornish Manor in Oakland, 7:30 to 10 p.m. No cover charge. (301-334-6499)

SUNDAY, Sept. 10

• Second Annual Deep Creek Lake Art and Wine Festival, benefiting the American Red Cross, concludes with area restaurants offering special Sunday brunches. (888-387-5237)

TUESDAY, Sept. 12

• Print artist Jean Barnes Downs demonstrates monotype print making at the Gallery, Oakland, 1 to 3 p.m. This is a free demonstration for the public and for persons interested in enrolling in Downs's print-making workshop, to be sponsored by the Garrett County Arts Council at the Discovery Center in October. (301-334-6580)

THURSDAY, Sept. 14

• Simple Gifts presented as part of Appalachian Festival by FSU Cultural Events Series at City Place, Frostburg, followed by spoons workshop. 7 p.m. Free. (1-866-849-9237)

• Maryland State Arts Council presents Grant Information Session for non-profit organizations at Windsor Hall, Cumberland, 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Free with prior reservations. (410-767-6555)

THURSDAY, Sept. 21

• Neil Berg's 100 Years of Broadway, presented by FSU Cultural Events Series at PAC Pealer Recital Hall, Frostburg, 7:30 p.m. Tickets: adults, \$40; children up to age 17, \$38. (1-866-849-9237)

FRIDAY, Sept. 22

• Old Time Music Jam at Village Church, Spruce Forest Artisan Village, Grantsville, 6 to 9 p.m. Come to listen or to play. Donations appreciated. (301-895-3332)

• Stranger With a Camera and Sludge, two Appalshop films presented as part of Appalachian Festival by FSU Cultural Events Series, Palace Theatre, Frostburg, 8 p.m. Free. (1-866-849-9237)

SATURDAY, Sept. 23

• Pianist Bobby Mitchell performs works by Liszt, Beethoven, and Frederic Rzewski for Alta Schrock Memorial Concert at Great Hall of Penn Alps, Grantsville, 7:30 p.m. Adult admission, \$12; under 18, free. (301-895-4250)

• Liz Carroll, John Doyle, Bruce Molsky & Dirk Powell, Irish music presented as part of Appalachian Festival by FSU Cultural Events Series at PAC Pealer Recital Hall, Frostburg, 7:30 p.m. Tickets: adults, \$15; children to age 17, \$10. (1-866-849-9237)

### EXHIBITS

• Through Sept. 30: Photography by Caroline Blizzard and Sculpture by Kenny Braitman at the Gallery, Oakland, Monday through Saturday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. (301-334-6580)

• Through Sept. 22: Watercolors by Arwana Schoemer at Garrett College Art Gallery, McHenry. (301-387-3024)

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2002 GMC Envoy SLT ... 38K	\$15,500	\$267	a Month
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2000 Jeep Grand Cherokee Laredo ... 68K	\$7,995	\$167	a Month
1998 Ford Explorer Sport ... 88K	\$4,995	\$92	a Month
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## Huskies, Coach Carr Have High Hopes Of Returning To Playoffs

As the Northern Huskies varsity football team prepares for its season opener at home this Friday Sept. 8 against Clear Spring, Huskies' head coach Phil Carr begins his 10th season with high hopes of returning to the playoffs.

Last season, despite posting a 7-2 record the Huskies missed the playoffs because of a statistical ruling that forced them to surrender the No. 4 seed position in the Maryland 1A West Region playoffs to Fort Hill.

According to league officials, Douglass High School was required to forfeit its nine wins and the No. 2 seed in the 2A East Region for playing an academically ineligible player. The forfeiture caused the league to recalibrate the statistical results of the teams' ratings.

In one of its nine victories, Douglass beat Southwest Academy, and the points Douglass received for that win had to be returned to Southwest because of the forfeiture. The extra points returned to Southwest boosted Fort Hill's playoff rankings because the Sentinels (Fort Hill) had beaten Southwest in the regular season. When reconfigured, Fort Hill's overall 5.50 statistical rating topped Northern's 5.42 rating, which meant that the Huskies were eliminated from playoff contention in the 1A West Region.

This ruling took place after Northern had turned in a narrow, hard-fought 21-20 win over Southern in the final week of the regular season.

Carr and his team spent the off-season coming to terms with their absence from last year's playoffs. "We had a bad taste in our mouths after last year, and we have talked about getting the situation back into our hands and controlling our own destiny. We were a

good team and we deserved to make the playoffs, but if we would have won one more game we would have been in anyway," Carr said.

If the Huskies are to return to the playoffs this year, they will have to do it based on team speed and quickness. Despite the loss of some key players, Carr indicated that he has a good nucleus of returning players with strong leadership qualities.

Offensively, Corey Carr (6 feet, 225 pounds), a big, pounding fullback who racked up 479 yards last season, returns for his third year in the starting backfield.

The coach indicated that Corey Carr's strength and also his greatest contribution was his blocking. According to Coach Carr, Corey's biggest contribution isn't the yards he gets, but the yards he helps the rest of the backfield get.

"Corey's a great blocker. For the past two seasons we've had good backs, but they wouldn't have gotten those yards if Corey's not back there," Coach Carr said.

Missing from this year's backfield will be Tyler Warn, who was a first-team All-Area running back, who amassed 1,199 yards on the ground and scored 14 touchdowns. Replacing him at halfback will be returning junior Blair Silbaugh (5-6, 150), who is the fastest player on the squad. Carr said that Silbaugh brings extra experience to the backfield as he saw some starting time midway through last season. Ben Diehl (5-8, 150), a junior, will start at the other halfback spot. Diehl earned the starting position after sophomore running backs Zack Fratz (5-10, 150) and Randy Wiley (5-7, 156) were injured.

Junior Garrett Gulledge

### NORTHERN HUSKIES VARSITY FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Date	Opp.	Loc.
9/8	Clear Spring	H
9/15	Berkeley Springs	H
9/23	Severn School	H
9/29	Allegany	A
10/6	Bishop Walsh	H
10/13	Beall	H
10/19	Hancock	A
10/27	Westmar	A
11/3	Frankfort	A
11/10	Southern	A

(5-9, 180) will start at quarterback. He takes over the position that was vacated by last year's honorable mention quarterback Casey Kamp. Gulledge was the back-up for Kamp last year and saw some action during the season. He's not one of the fastest quarterbacks Northern has had, but he has a good arm, according to Carr.

"He does a good job, but he is different than what we usually have at quarterback for us," Carr said. "We usually have gone with a speedier quarterback and Garrett is more of a power runner, but he makes good decisions, handles pitches well, and throws well. He makes up for speed with other aspects of his game."

Brock Giotfelty (6-2, 235) returns at the tight end position. Giotfelty, a three-year starter, led the team last year with seven catches and 113 receiving yards in earning honorable mention on the All-Area team. Carr considers Giotfelty to be one of the best blockers on the team, and in the option offense that the Huskies run, his role is key. Senior Bryce Manges (6-0, 150) will start at the other tight end position, or will be utilized as a split end when required.

Dom DiRienzo (5-8, 215, Sr.), last year's starting guard, will be moved to tackle to "take advantage of his quickness." Carr wants to utilize DiRienzo's quickness in the running game to get to the outside, leading the way as a downfield blocker. Steven Taylor (5-8, 190, Jr.), who was a back-up, will start at the other



**NHS READY FOR HOME OPENER** – The Northern High School varsity football squad hopes to get off to a winning start when the Huskies take on the Clear Spring Blazers tomorrow in its home opener at "Half-Mile-High" stadium. Varsity and junior varsity teams pictured above from left are, in Row 1: Randy Wilhelm, Matt Artice, Dom DiRienzo, Nick Ferrell, Brock Giotfelty, Corey Carr, Jason Doerr, Trevor Warnick, Corey Diehl, Bryce Manges, Rich Milton, Brandon Opel, and John Andres. Row 2: Steven Funk, Justin Carr, Adam Miller, Eric Espada, Ben Diehl, Matt Mason, Gesse Giotfelty, Kory Kamp, Zach Fratz, Bobby Wingrove, Blair Silbaugh, Nick Graham, Randy Wiley, Steven Taylor, and Ryan Seaman. Row 3: Matt

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tackle spot. He brings some experience to the line, as he saw some starting action last season.

Seniors Brandon Opel (5-10, 185) and Nick Ferrell (6-0, 255) will start at the guard spots. This is Opel's third year on the varsity squad, and Ferrell was a reserve on last year's team.

Senior Jason Doerr (6-0, 180), a starting guard last season, takes over at the center position from Corey Yoder, last year's first team All-Area selection.

In speaking about his offensive linemen Carr said, "None of these guys are inexperienced. We feel pretty good about what we've got and the moves we've made so far."

Defensive coordinator Frank Ewing, in his 12th season with the Huskies, has six starters returning from last season, five on the front seven. Ewing plans to run a 5-2 defensive scheme, with Doerr and Giotfelty at the defensive ends.

Doerr, a second-team defensive end selection from last year, picked up eight sacks during the regular season. Giotfelty also brings experience to the position. Although, he spent the majority of his time at defensive tackle last year, he did start the season at defensive end.

Ferrell and Corey Diehl (6-1, 200) will be starting at tackle, and Opel will anchor the center of the line at nose tackle.

Corey Carr returns to the his linebacker spot after two successful years as a second team All-Area selection. In moving from last year's 4-3 "Grave Digger" defense to this year's 5-2 look, Coach Carr expects Corey Carr to see a lot of action. Last year Carr led the team with 103 tackles, twice the number of any other defender.

"Defensively, we like to get into and control the gaps. We try to keep the offensive linemen off the linebackers and let them make the plays, and look to get a lot of action out of our ends."

Matt Mason (5-9, 205, Jr.), who played stand-up nose tackle last year, will play alongside Carr at the linebacker spot. Mason's ankle surgery in the spring concerns Carr. "We are hoping to get him in there, but we have to take it easy."

Manges, who plays defensive back, returns as the only starter in Northern's secondary. Rich Milton (5-8, 180) will start at strong safety, sophomore Nick Graham (5-9, 145) at defensive back, and Eric Espada (5-9, 135) at free safety.

Going into the season, Carr felt that the secondary would be the team's biggest weakness. Last year Carr also thought that the secondary would be the weak point of the defense, but, he said, "We wound up doing a good job." Carr said he was pleased so far with the progress of this year's secondary. "We're possibly a little better this year at this time than we were last year," Carr said.

Carr expects his secondary to be the team's strength. He hopes that the defensive front, which is one of the team's strengths, can help take pressure off the back-

field.

Despite their lack of size and varsity experience at key positions, Carr is happy with this year's roster, which has grown from 51 last year to 61 this year. The high number of players on the roster is a problem, he said, that coaches whole heartedly welcome, adding, "It's always nice to have numbers. It causes competition ... when two or more players go for a spot ... it makes the kids work and doesn't allow them to become complacent."

New to the schedule this year will be Hancock, Severn, and Frankfort. Carr expects Frankfort will be one of their most difficult opponents. "Frankfort always has a good team," he said. Hancock is a regional opponent and Severn is a private school that usually has some good talent, he added.

Along with Frankfort, Carr said that Alco, Berkeley Springs, Beall, and Southern were among the Huskies' toughest opponents.

Carr hopes to return to the playoffs by working



hard each week and steadily improving throughout the season. "We have had some battles at practice for starting positions which should make us better in the long run," he said.

**TOMORROW'S GAME**  
The season opener tomorrow night pits the Huskies against a Clear Spring team that lost all-star starting quarterback Tyler Braithwaite and his main target wide receiver Donnie Lapolt, as well as two running backs.

After scouting Clear Spring two weeks ago in a scrimmage with Southern, Carr indicated that the Blazers ran a lot of quick hitters up the middle. This is a change from last year's shotgun offense that went to the air 80 percent of the time.

Carr said that senior

quarterback Stephen Munson (5-9, 130) does not have the arm that Braithwaite had, but that he was mobile and liked to scramble. Carr expects Clear Spring to run fullback Jessie Jarvis (5-9, 185) on quick hitters. "He runs with power, and they like to

pound it up the middle," Carr said. He indicated that Clear Springs may be a little better on the line of scrimmage than they were last season, but, he said, "I like the fact that the Blazers would be running into the strength of our defense."

The Blazers will also use a 5-2 defensive scheme that utilizes the strong safety for blitzes.

Kickoff is scheduled for 7 p.m. Friday night at what announcer George Edwards calls Northern High School's "Half-Mile-High" stadium.

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## Rams, New Coach Face Tough Test In Season Opener At Alco

The debut for a brand new head coach is usually nerve-racking enough, but it can't get much worse when that debut is against the reigning state champion right off the bat.

Such is the case for Steve Savage, a former standout player for both the Northern Huskies and the Frostburg State Bobcats, who is now the head coach of the Southern High Ram varsity football team.

The Rams, who are coming off a disappointing 3-7 season, must travel to Greenway Avenue Stadium this Friday to face Allegany.

"Not only are they the defending state champions, but most believe they will repeat this year," Savage said. "They are supposedly a better team coming into this season than they were at this point last year."

It has been since 2001 that the Rams have enjoyed a winning season, and it will take all Savage, his staff, and players can muster to get back to that level this year.

There were 16 seniors on last year's squad, including second-team All-Area running back Bret DeWitt, who rushed for just under 1,200 yards last year for a 119-yard-per-game average.

Also gone are All-Area honorable mentions Nick Gregg as a running back, Rick Wotring as an offensive lineman, Andrew VanBogelen and Anthony Schrock at linebacker spots, Gage Welch on the defensive line, and Jeremy Gregory from the secondary.

Savage has initiated a new double-wing offense that utilizes two halfbacks

and a fullback, which incorporates a lot of misdirection.

Key to the operation of that offense will be senior quarterback Adam VanBogelen (6-1, 185), halfback Justin Ratliff (5-8, 170), who is a state champion wrestler, and either Tommie Reams (5-9, 175) or Vince Harman (5-10, 160) at the other halfback spot.

Senior Eric Pike (5-10, 170) will start at the fullback spot.

"Adam has worked very hard in the off-season," Savage said. "He has good size, has the ability to run the option well, and has good leadership skills. He can also throw the ball."

VanBogelen's primary target through the air will be senior receiver Ryan DeWitt (6-4, 175), a three-year starter.

"Ryan is not only a big target for Adam, but also because of his experience he reads defenses very well," Savage said.

The other standout returnee is sophomore lineman Dan Shockey (6-4, 260).

"Dan spends a lot of time in the weight room, and will provide a lot of strength on the line on both sides of the ball," Savage said.

Other probable starters on offense will be: senior Jacob Pike (6-1, 190) or junior Nick Farmer (6-0, 175) at tight end; and on the offensive line, seniors T.J. Sisler (6-0, 197) and Nathan Thomas (6-3, 275), and juniors Sam Bowman (6-0, 250), Mike Varner (6-2, 250), and Cory Broadwater (5-10, 210).

There are only two start-

### SOUTHERN RAMS VARSITY FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Date	Opp.	Loc.
9/9	Allegany	A
9/15	Beall	H
9/22	Westmar	A
9/29	Tucker	H
10/6	Keyser (Homecoming)	A
10/13	Petersburg	H
10/20	Frankfort	A
10/27	Fort Hill	A
11/3	Liberty Harris	H
11/10	Northern	H

ers back on the Rams' defensive unit, Ratliff at inside linebacker and DeWitt as a defensive back.

Others expected to either start or see considerable action at linebacker spots are Shockey, Reams, Harman, and juniors Jonathan Feaster (5-10, 156) and Rett Rhodes (5-10, 165).

Starting at the defensive tackle positions will be Bowman and Broadwater, with Sisler and Pike at the ends. Varner and Thomas will also see action on the line.

With DeWitt in the secondary will be VanBogelen and senior Josh Armstrong (5-6, 130).

Senior Mike Edwards, who also plays soccer for the Rams, will handle the kicking and punting chores.

While Savage knows his team will be in a major battle this Friday night, he says he looks forward to it.

"Southern has never ducked anyone," he said. "We play everyone, and we intend to maintain that record. Playing a tough schedule will make us a better team."

The Southern defense will have to contend with a wing-T offense at Allegany this Friday night, a unit that is led by senior fullback Tyler Wharton (6-1, 213) and senior halfback Jeff Link (6-1, 203).

Wharton was the All-Area fullback last year with 1,048 yards rushing, while

Link gained 1,514 yards and was named the Offensive Player of the Year for the area.

"Wharton is without a doubt one of the top players in the state, both at fullback and at linebacker," Savage said, "and Link is an outstanding runner, who is very fast on the perimeter, but also extremely tough running inside."

Link is also among the standouts in the Campers' linebacking corps, along with senior Ryan Foutz (6-1, 216).

"They run the ball probably about 85% of the time," Savage said, "but they can also throw it when they have to. Defensively, we are going to have to make them earn their yardage. We are going to have to gang tackle, with seven or eight red jerseys going to the ball on every play."

"Offensively, we must control the ball, and we certainly cannot afford turnovers."

Making the situation worse for the Rams this week is the health status of two of the aforementioned standout returnees.

Dan Shockey is recovering from a separated shoulder, while Ryan DeWitt has a severe back bruise.

"Both of them are just day-to-day, and very questionable for this week," Savage said.

The Rams' challenge will continue the following week with their home opener against Beall.

Assisting Savage this season are Josh Hinebaugh, Winston Redman, Seth Tressler, Ryan Savage, Dave Mancuso, Greg Tressler, Jay Stewart, and Regis Marucci. Walter Lee returns as the team trainer.

Friday's kickoff at Greenway Stadium in Cumberland is set for 7 p.m.

## Ram Volleyball Season Opens With Match Against Keyser

High school volleyball season opened last night at home for the Southern Rams, who hosted Keyser. The Rams won the first game of the match, but the final score and statistics were not received by press-time this morning.

The Rams come into this season riding a 13-3 overall record from last year, plus a Western Maryland Interscholastic League championship, but Coach Sue Newton has several significant pairs of shoes to fill, as some key players were lost to graduation. They include Randi Bennett, Chelsea Wassell, Sarah Rexroad, and Jenna Wagner.

Top returnees are Sarah Stephens, Adrienne Yoder, and Jade Ream.

"I think that our greatest strengths as a team are experience, dedication, and team unity," Coach Newton said. "Most of our team played club volleyball all winter and participated in two summer leagues, plus a team camp. Some also attended specialized camps to improve their skills."

"Sarah Stephens played for Team Maryland in Hawaii over the summer," she continued, adding, "We are

hitting the ball extremely well and are serving and playing defense better than we have in the past. Our setters are outstanding leaders on the court and gaining confidence with their decision making. We hope to show improvement in our blocking."

Newton's last four teams have just missed making it to the state finals, falling in the regional title matches to Washington County teams.

"Each player has her own set of goals, but as a team we have one major goal - to win our region over the traditionally strong Washington County schools and advance to the state playoffs," she said.

Newton said another goal for this season is to increase attendance at home matches.

"When we go to Hagerstown to play, their gym is packed," she said. "We need to experience that atmosphere locally so we are better prepared for the noise and crowds. This team has an enthusiasm for the game and they are fun to watch."

Stephens and Paula Renteria are the current starting outside hitters for the Rams, Alex Barnard is starting as middle hitter, and Adrienne Yoder and Shayna Sweitzer are the setters. Jade Ream is the primary defender.

Other players to watch are hitters Elizabeth Ray, Danielle Daniels, and Amber Plank, along with defender Meghan Flinn.

Newton said that she believes the most competitive teams on the Rams' schedule are Frankfort, Fort Hill, Keyser, Williamsport, and Boonsboro.

Newton is being assisted by coaches Jennifer Parks and Helen Stephens.



**GETTING THEIR SEASON UNDER WAY** last night was the Southern High School girls' volleyball squad, which battled Keyser. Pictured from left, kneeling, are: Amber Plank, Jade Ream, Danielle Daniels, Elizabeth Ray, Sarah Stephens, Meghan Flinn, and Adrienne

Yoder. Standing are: Coach Sue Newton, Brittany Thomas, Paula Renteria, Shayna Sweitzer, Alex Barnard, Melodie Stolbom, Stephanie Lee, and Coach Helen Stephens.



**GOING IN FOR THE KILL** - Paula Renteria, a newcomer to Southern High School volleyball and the only freshman on the varsity team, is pictured above as she goes in for a kill against a non-existent Keyser defense in the first game last night. Watching the

spike are Shayna Sweitzer, Elizabeth Ray, Adrienne Yoder (partially hidden), and Sarah Stephens. Southern won the first game, but the results of the match were not reported. Photo by John McEwen.

Name	Grade	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.
Josh Armstrong	12	WR/DB	5'6"	130
Shane Rounds	12	OL/DL	5'10"	205
Eric Pike	12	FB/LB	5'9"	170
Jacob Pike	12	TE/DE	6'0"	190
Cory Reckart	12	OL/LB	5'8"	160
T.J. Sisler	12	OL/DL	6'0"	215
Ryan DeWitt	12	WR/DB	6'3"	170
Justin Ratliff	12	RB/LB	5'8"	170
Cody Broadwater	12	FB/LB	5'9"	175
Adam VanBogelen	12	QB/LB	6'1"	185
Mike Edwards	12	K/P	5'11"	180
Zach Brady	12	OL/DL	6'2"	260
Bill Ramsey	11	OL/DL	6'1"	250
Nick Farmer	11	TE/LB	6'0"	180
Sam Bowman	11	OL/DL	6'0"	250
Mike Varner	11	OL/DL	6'2"	275
Cody Colaw	11	TE/DE	5'11"	140
Vince Harman	11	HB/LB	5'10"	165
Jon Feaster	11	FB/LB	5'9"	158
Cory Broadwater	11	OL/DL	5'11"	210
Matt White	11	FB/LB	6'0"	190
Caiden Shaffer	11	SE/DB	5'9"	145
Tommie Reams	11	HB/LB	5'9"	165
Nick Tressler	11	OB/DB	5'9"	145
Rett Rhodes	11	TE/DE	5'10"	165
Cory Lipscomb	11	TE/DE	6'5"	205
Derek Gilpin	11	OL/DL	6'0"	210
Ryan Sellers	11	OL/DL	5'10"	212
Dan Shockey	11	OL/DL	6'3"	250

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## Garrett Woods Chapter Whitetails Unlimited

September 5, 2006

Donald Sincell, Editor  
The Republican Newspaper  
Oakland, MD 21550

Dear Mr. Sincell:

For far too long sportsmen and sportswomen have sat back and said "there are plenty of others out there to protect my rights." They rely on the NRA, Sportsmen's Coalition, Ducks Unlimited and Whitetails Unlimited to carry their water. In reality we can't continue to rely on organizations or others to defend our interests. Even though these organizations do a terrific job they can't vote for you.

It is fair to say that in the 2004 election, on the gun issue alone sportsmen and sportswomen played a key role in electing the President. We have a really good opportunity right here in Western Maryland to elect a delegate who supports hunting and fishing and is committed to preserving our Second Amendment rights and sporting heritage.

Get to the polls and take a sports person or two with you. Talk up the election with your friends and make sure they vote. You can make a difference. If you are registered, vote on September 12!

Garrett Woods Chapter of Whitetails Unlimited endorses Wendell Beitzel for Maryland House of Delegates for District 1A and Denny Giotfelty for County Commissioner, and encourages everyone to get out and vote on September 12. It is extremely important for all hunters and sportsmen and sportswomen to exercise their privilege to vote and to vote for the persons who truly represent their interests.

Join with us in supporting Denny Giotfelty for County Commissioner and Wendell Beitzel for Maryland House of Delegates.

Sincerely yours,

Art Holland, President  
Garrett Woods Chapter  
Whitetails Unlimited

Paid for by Whitetails Unlimited, Art Holland, President





**HUSKIES BITE SENTINELS** — The Northern High varsity boys' soccer team gave new coach Lynn Lais a 3-1 Western Maryland Interscholastic League victory over visiting Fort Hill Tuesday evening. Above, the Huskies swarm around a Sentinel in front of the Northern goal. Huskies visible from left are: Chris

Wood (#14), Mike Clise (#4), Zac Cupler (#2), Zac Beitzel (#8), Jeremy Beitzel (#13), and Justin Beitzel (#22). The Huskies will play again this evening in an opening round match of the Garrett County Tournament. Photo by John McEwen.

## Husky Booters Open With Big 3-1 Win Over Fort Hill

The varsity boys' soccer team of Northern High School, under new head coach Lynn Lais, opened the 2006 season with a big 3-1 Western Maryland Interscholastic League victory over visiting Fort Hill Tuesday evening.

Midfielder Elijah Lais broke a scoreless tie with just under five minutes to play in the first half, taking a feed from Daniel Warnick and putting the ball past

**NORTHERN (3)**  
**FORT HILL (1)**  
Fort Hill 0 1 - 1  
Northern 1 2 - 1

**First Half**  
N - Elijah Lais, assisted by Daniel Warnick, 4:53.

**Second Half**  
N - Zack Lipscomb assisted by Chris Wood, 39:45.  
FH - Jay Hemmis penalty kick, 14:35.

N - Lais assisted by Ryan Bowser, 4:00.

Sentinel keeper John Means.

It took just 15 seconds of the second half for the Huskies to double their score, as striker Zack Lipscomb scored off a feed by Chris Wood.

The Sentinels cut Northern's lead in half at the 14:35 mark when Jay Hemmis made good on a penalty kick, but Lais struck again with four minutes to play, scoring off a pass by Ryan Bowser.

Zach Trautwein recorded seven saves in goal for the Huskies, while Means finished with six saves.

Ten starters are back this season from last year's squad, which was the most successful in school history, finishing with an overall record of 12-2 and the WMIL championship.

Under retired coach Tom Ables, the Huskies were 33-7 over the past three seasons.

Lost to graduation were keeper Eric Wood, who was last season's Defensive Player of the Year; defenders Brian Schlosnagle and Taylor Jones, and strikers Derek Cutter and Chris Speicher, two of the most prolific scorers in the area. With 14 goals and five assists, Cutter was a first-team All-Area selection, while Speicher with nine goals and eight assists, was named second-team All-WMIL.

Top returning players are Zac Beitzel and Zack Lipscomb at striker positions, and Elijah Lais and Zac Cupler in the midfield.

Lipscomb, who recorded seven goals and five assists, was a second-team All-Area pick, while Beitzel received honorable mention All-WMIL with eight goals and

### Northern High School Boys' Soccer 2006

Date	Opp.	Loc.
9/7-9	Garrett Co. Tour.	H
9/11	Southern	H
9/16	Westmar	H
9/23	Allegany	A
9/26	Beall	H
9/28	Salisbury	H
10/3	BW	A
10/5	Allegany	A
10/10	Beall	A
10/12	Southern	A
10/19	Westmar	A
10/24	Ft. Hill	A

Head Coach: Lynn Lais

one assist.

"Our strengths this year should be our midfield players' ability to possess the ball, and the play of our attackers," Coach Lais said. "We have a lot of new players in defensive positions, but I have no doubt they will prove themselves."

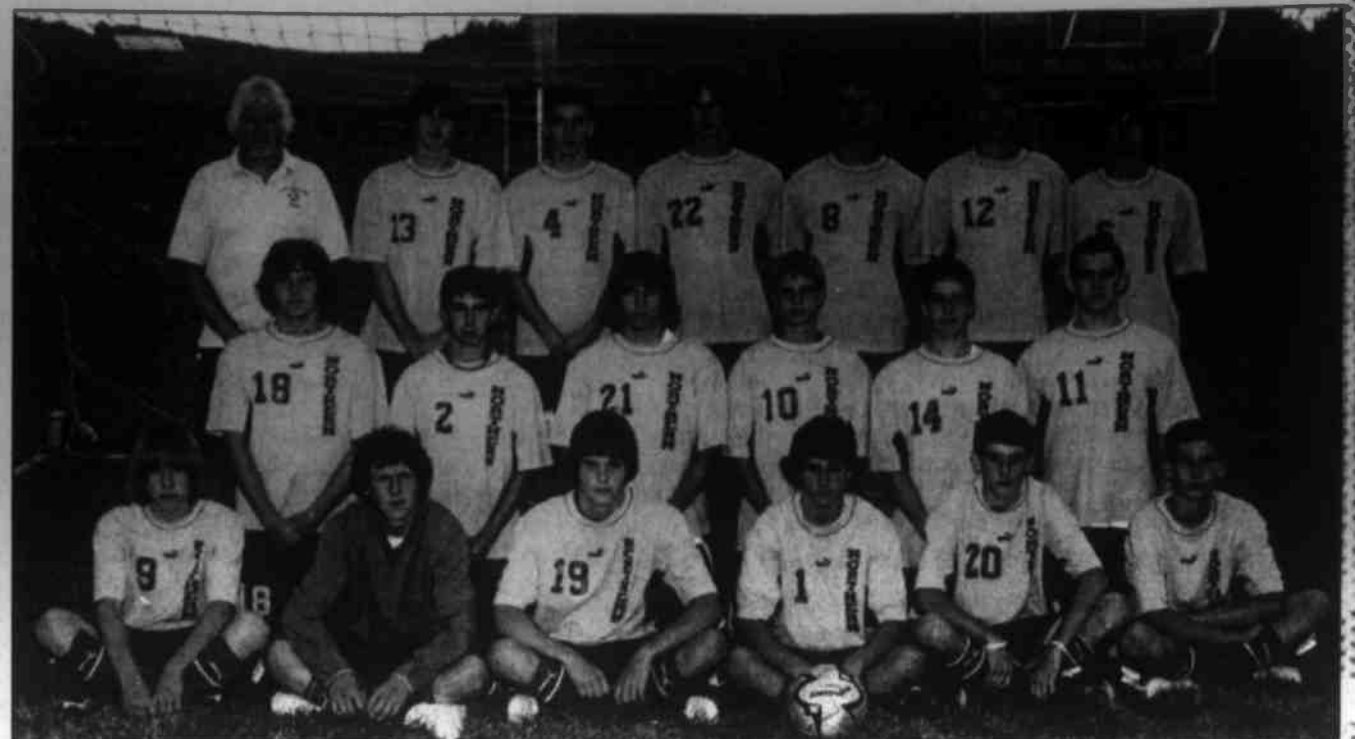
Among the new defenders are Neil Buckel, Justin Beitzel, Michael Clise, and Mitch Hall, plus Trautwein in goal.

Other starters include Ryan Bowser, Mike Resh, Jeremy Beitzel, Chris Wood, Tylor Kamp, and Daniel Warnick.

Lais believes that his team will be tested in every match this season.

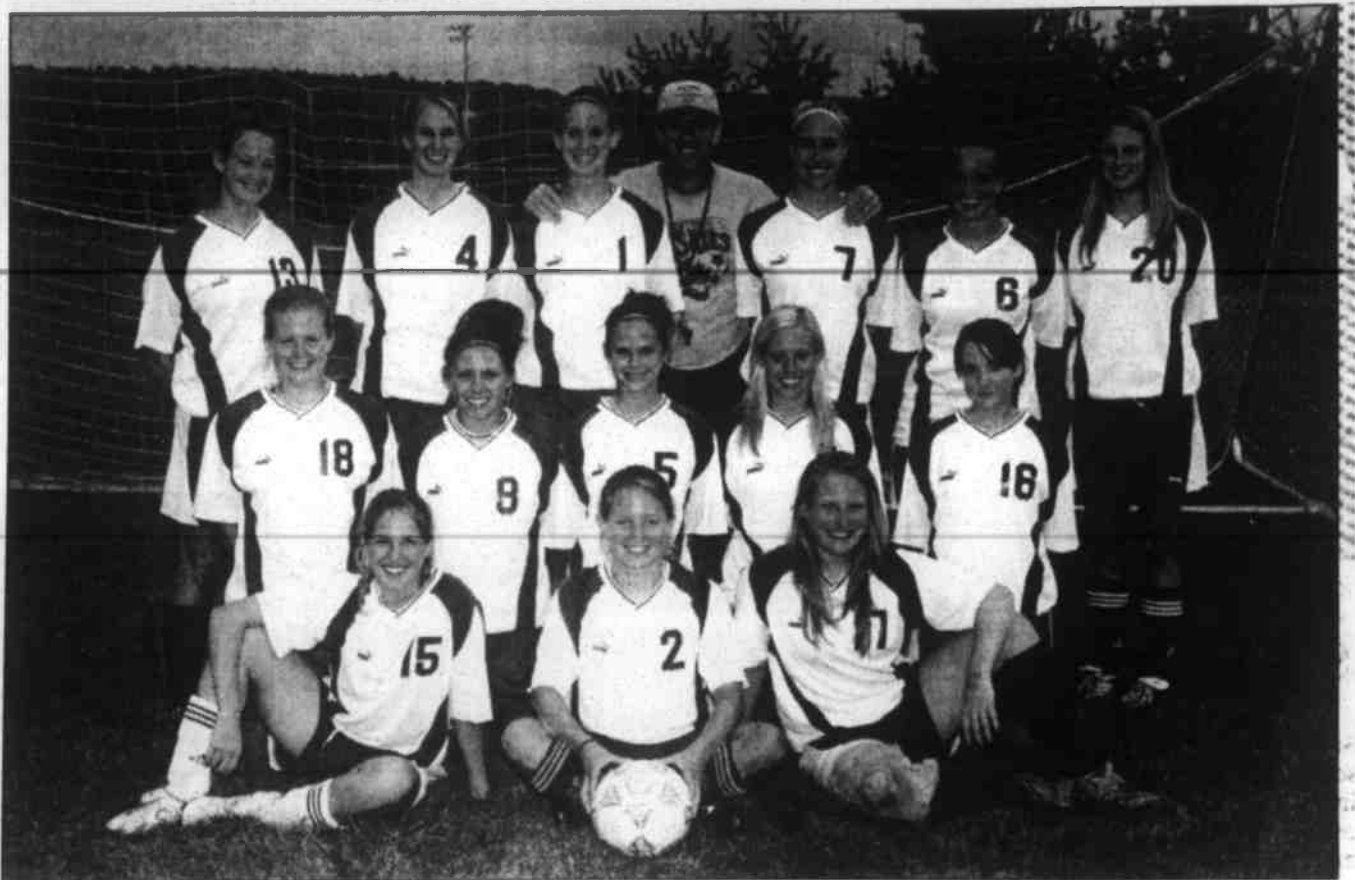
"Beall is always a power, Southern is always a great rivalry, and I think Allegany will surprise a lot of people and be a strong contender," he said. "I honestly do not think there will be any easy matches this fall."

The Huskies will go at it again this evening when they host Keyser in a 7:30 match of the Garrett County Tournament.



**OPENING THEIR SEASON** with a big 3-1 win over visiting Fort Hill this week was the Northern High School boys' varsity soccer team, pictured above. Pictured from left, seated, are: Daniel Warnick, Travis McFarland, Neil Buckel, Zach Trautwein, Zack Lipscomb, and Tylor Kamp. Kneeling are: Mitch Hall, Zac Cupler, Wil Herpel, Elijah Lais, Chris Wood, and Mike Resh. Standing are: Coach Lynn Lais, Jeremy Beitzel, Mike Clise, Justin Beitzel, Zak Beitzel, Ryan Bowser, and Brian Williams. The Northern girls' varsity squad, pic-

tured below, will open its season this evening against Bishop Walsh in the Garrett County Tournament, which is being hosted by Southern. Pictured seated, from left, are: Erin Brenneman, Sarah Voelkel, and Bethani Gillum. Kneeling are: Meghan Voelkel, Shayla Rodeheaver, Adria Graham, Brittany Stein, and Megan Kinsinger. Standing are: Kelsey Jones, Megan Wiley, Justine Harvey, Coach John Milbourne, Grace Herpel, Amy Lander, and Amber Kling.



Date	Opp.	Loc.
9/7-9	Garrett Tourn.	A
9/12	Allegany	H
9/14	Beall	H
9/19	Southern	A
9/23	Westmar	A
9/26	Fort Hill	A
9/28	Frankfort	A
10/5	Allegany	A
10/11	Westmar	A
10/17	Southern	A
10/19	Beall	A

10/21 Bishop Walsh A 10/24 Fort Hill H

## NOTICE OF ELECTION: Oakland Little League 2006-2007 Board of Directors

There are 5 vacancies to be filled and those elected will serve a two-year term. All nominations must be received no later than September 10, 2006. All nominations and questions should be directed to Bill Bittinger at 301-334-2009 or Dan Holler at 301-334-9074. Nominations will not be accepted after September 10, 2006.

**Election Meeting:  
September 11 at 7:00  
Oakland Fire Hall**



**JUNIOR VARSITY HUSKIES** — Opening their seasons this week along with the Northern High School varsity soccer squads are the junior varsity teams. Pictured above, from left, front, are Nikki Diehl, Amanda Brenneman, and Kara Savage. Kneeling are: Emily Rosser, Stephanie Shapiro, Brittany Mallow, Sierra O'Brien, and Susan Thatcher. Standing are: Kayley Green, Abby Sherrard, Devan Yoder, Coach Jeff Graham, Ashton Graham, Kaitlyn Walker, and Brittney Allen. Members of the JV boys' team are pictured below and include, from left, kneeling: Jamie Weinbrenner, Frankie Moravetz, Trevor Devore, Travis McFarland, Carson Kamp, Josh Maust, and Taylor Nicklin. Standing are Coach Lynn Lais, Ryan Beiler, Andrew Beitzel, Wil Herpel, Daniel Baylan, Tylor Kamp, Dylan Beitzel, Thomas Holschneider, and Daniel Warnick. Not present for the photo were Ryan Burke and coaches Andy Bowser, Craig Warnick, and Mark Gwiazdowski.



## Garrett County Fishing Contest Winners Named

The Garrett County Fishing Contest is sponsored by Deep Creek Outfitters Hardware and Bait House and the Garrett County Chamber of Commerce. The winners for the week ending September 2 are:

Brown trout: 4 lbs. 8 ozs., 25%, caught by Jason Loutsenhizer, Murrysville, Pa.

Smallmouth bass: 1 lb. 12 ozs., 16", caught by Dale Byers, Pittsburgh.

The winners for the week ending August 26 are:

Bluegill: 12 ozs., 10%, caught by Dorothy Nixon, Oakmont, Pa.

Chain pickerel: 3 lbs. 2 ozs., 24", caught by Andy Motsko, Owings Mills.

Largemouth bass: 1 lb. 12 ozs., 15", caught by Garrett Motsko, Owings Mills.

Smallmouth bass: 2 lbs. 8 ozs., 17%, caught by Mark Davidson, Somerset, Pa.

Walleye: 1 lb. 14 ozs., 17%, caught by Dorothy Nixon, Oakmont, Pa.

Yellow perch: 1 lb., 13", caught by David Vitez, McHenry.

Weekly winners are presented a certificate, and plaques are awarded for the season's largest catches of bluegill, brown trout, chain pickerel, crappies, largemouth and smallmouth bass, northern pike, rainbow trout, walleye, and yellow perch.

Fish may be entered at Deep Creek Outfitters Hardware and Bait House, located at 32 Outfitters Way, McHenry. The contest will run through the first week of October.

**DAVE BEARD**

**for COUNTY COMMISSIONER DISTRICT 3**

*Authority B.J. Beard, Treasurer*

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Pictured above from left to right are Delegate Rich Weldon, Dave Moe, and George Edwards discussing Dave's testimony in support of legislation (HB 176) co-sponsored by Delegate Edwards to reduce Health Insurance Costs.

Authority: The Team of Elect Dave Moe; Rob Heilig, Chairman. Andrew Fike, Treasurer.

### To Keep Garrett County Productive and Growing, I will:

- Work with legislative leaders (see photo left) to reduce health insurance costs.
- Monitor and support new state laws to keep NewPage Paper Mill and the region's Forest Products, Agriculture Coal and Trucking industries healthy.
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- Advance the development of the U.S. 219 4-lane highway from Grantsville to Somerset, PA, to enhance business climate and create better jobs.

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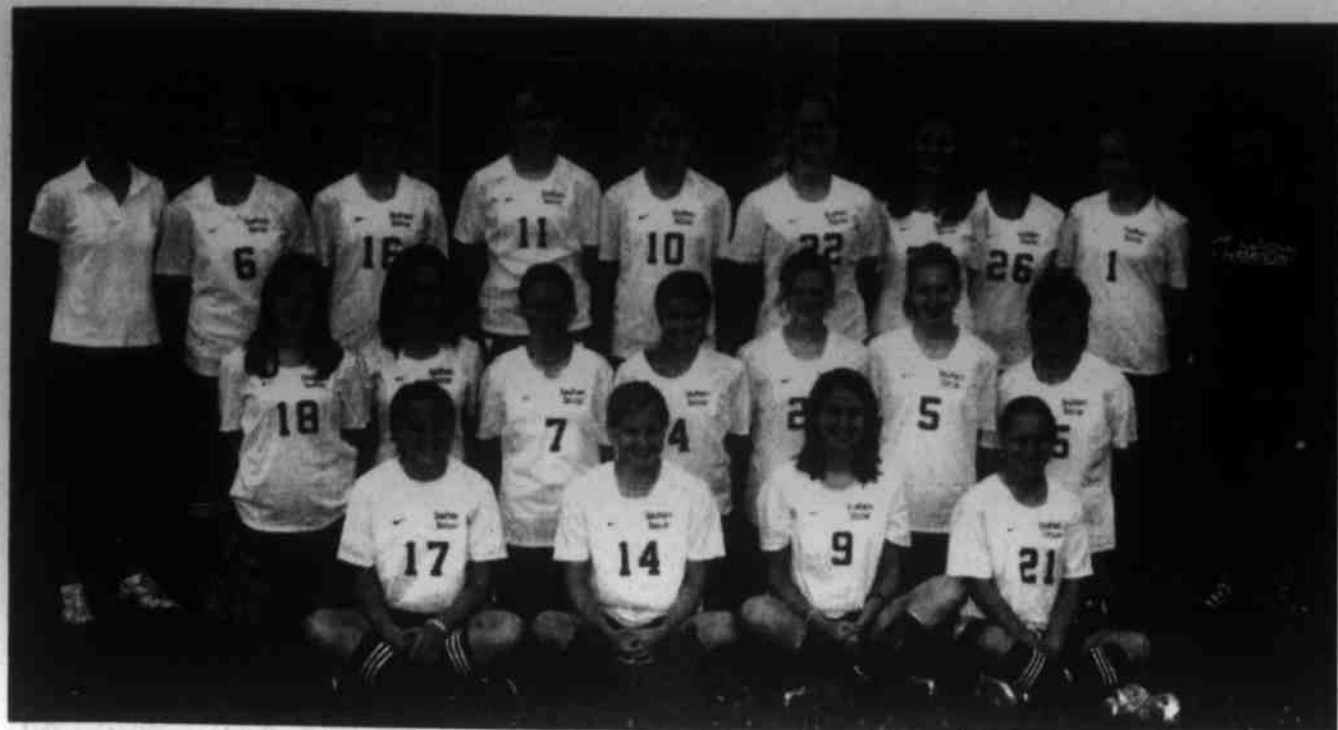


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SLATED TO OPEN their 2006 season are the Southern High School varsity and junior varsity girls' soccer teams, who will host the Garrett County Tournament and take on Preston this evening at the SHS athletic field. Varsity players are pictured above and include, seated, from left: Sara Beckman, Lauren Shue, Jessica Petrella, and Amber Brant. Kneeling are: Lauren Neville, Liz Callis, Kaitlin McDade, Joanna Guy, Bobbie Watson, Clarissa Blamble, and Julie Swerblinsky. Standing are Coach Sara Nawrot, Krista Hollingsworth, Kerry Conroy, Morgan Anderson, Kayla Petrella, Jillian Kelly, Chanda Remley, Amanda Van-

Bogelen, Brittney Scheffel, and assistant coach Randy Storey. Not present for the photo was Sarah Hanlin. Junior varsity players pictured below include, from left, kneeling: Kimberly Stephens, Juliana Sheets, Alyssa Dick, Marlana Kelly, Lara Ashby, Brooke Baler, and Julie Bittinger. Standing are Coach Newrot, Destinee Fulk, Holly Logsdon, Clare Buckle, Shawn Deal, Erin King, Sarah Storck, and Coach Storey. Team members not present for the photo were Abby Wildesen, Kelsey Lear, Brittany Perron, Rachel Weeks, and Alyssa Orem.



KICKING OFF THEIR SEASON Tuesday at home were the Southern High School varsity and junior varsity boys' soccer teams. Varsity players are pictured above. In the front is keeper Royce Warnick. Kneeling, from left, are: Michael Edwards, Joey Simson, Matt Burton, Alex Stuck, Alan Gnegy, Ethan Chorpennig, and Tyler Grotfelty. Standing are: Rick Tasker and Gary Grove, assistant coaches; Sean McCreery, Andrew Dale, Andrew McCreery, Drew Proudfoot, James Mullenax, Cody Brack, Tanner Polce, and Coach Bob

Bonser. Not present for the photo were Bruce Deal and coaches Eric Malcolm and Ben Friend. Junior varsity players pictured below include, from left, kneeling: Adam Calhoun, John McGettigan, Heath Naylor, Brian Bramante, Nicholas Brant, and Dylan DiGiola. Standing are coaches: Coach and Grove, Conor Forrester, Cory Murphy, Andrew Schaefer, Michael Kozier, Chris Schad, Andrew McCreery, Kody Lewis, and Coach Bonser.



## SHS Girls To Open Soccer Season Tonight Vs. Preston

Among the goals of Southern High School girls' soccer coach Sara Nawrot is improving on last season's record of 3-11; however, she and the Rams will have their work cut out for them, as it will be a relatively young team that takes the

field this evening against Preston.

Gone are midfielder Corey Lewis and defender Ashley Metcalfe, and many underclass players will be called upon to fill the shoes of them and several others lost to graduation.

"We have a lot of strong players who can play different positions," Coach Nawrot said. "We are just trying to find the right spots for everyone."

### SOUTHERN RAMS GIRLS' SOCCER SCHEDULE

Date	Opp.	Loc.
9/7-9	Garrett Co. Tourn.	H
9/12	Frankfort	H
9/14	Fort Hill	A
9/19	Northern	H
9/21	Beall	A
9/25	Westmar	A
9/28	Allegany	H
10/5	Bishop Walsh	A
10/11	Beall	H
10/17	Northern	H
10/19	Fort Hill	H
10/21	Westmar	H
10/25	Allegany	A

The Rams will face Preston this evening in an opening match of the Garrett County Tournament, and then meet Bishop Walsh in the same tourney this Saturday. Match times both evenings are 5:30 (junior varsity) and 7 p.m. (varsity).

"Besides trying to improve upon last year's record, we want to restore the program's reputation to what it was in previous years," said Nawrot.

One problem the Rams coach does not have this year is numbers, as there are

22 girls on the varsity roster and 18 on the jayvee squad. Assisting her this season is Randy Storey.

### SOUTHERN RAMS BOYS' SOCCER SCHEDULE

Date	Opp.	Loc.
9/7-9	Garrett Co. Tourn.	A
9/11	Northern	A
9/12	Frankfort	H
9/14	Fort Hill	A
9/19	Allegany	H
9/25	Bishop Walsh	H
9/27	Beall	H
10/3	Fort Hill	H
10/10	Westmar	A
10/12	Northern	H
10/18	Beall	H
10/24	Westmar	A

Deep Creek Vol. Fire Co. To Hold Walleye Challenge

The first Deep Creek Volunteer Fire Company Walleye Challenge will be held Saturday, Sept. 30, at the Deep Creek Lake State Park.

Participants must be registered and boats must be checked in between 5 and 6:45 a.m. Prizes are based

on a minimum 100-boat field. If there are less than 100 boats, the payoff will be based on percent, said a spokesperson. The top 10 finishers will receive cash rewards, with the first place NTC qualifier receiving \$3,000.

The first flight will be from 7 a.m. until 4 p.m., and the second flight will be from 7:15 a.m. until 4:15 p.m. Complimentary coffee and donuts will be provided the morning of the tourna-

ment, and complimentary food and refreshments will be provided at weigh-in.

Participants may register by mailing a registration form to the Deep Creek Volunteer Fire Company, P.O. Box 419, McHenry, MD 21541, or by visiting the company's website at [www.dcvf.com](http://www.dcvf.com).

A drawing will be held at the fire company building on Sept. 23 for boat registrations received after Sept. 23 will be positioned according to the or-

der in which they are re-

gistered. For more information, contact Garry Ackerman, 301-746-6107, or John Ackerman, 301-387-8324, and the Deep Creek Volunteer Fire Company, 301-387-8324.

The event benefits the Deep Creek Volunteer Fire Company. The public is invited to attend.

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Law Enforcement Career	31+ Years
Garrett County Sheriff's Office	26 Years
Criminal Investigator	2 Years
Police Supervisor	14 Years
Police Training Instructor	11 Years
Corrections Training Instructor	10 Years
Corrections Administrator	10 Years

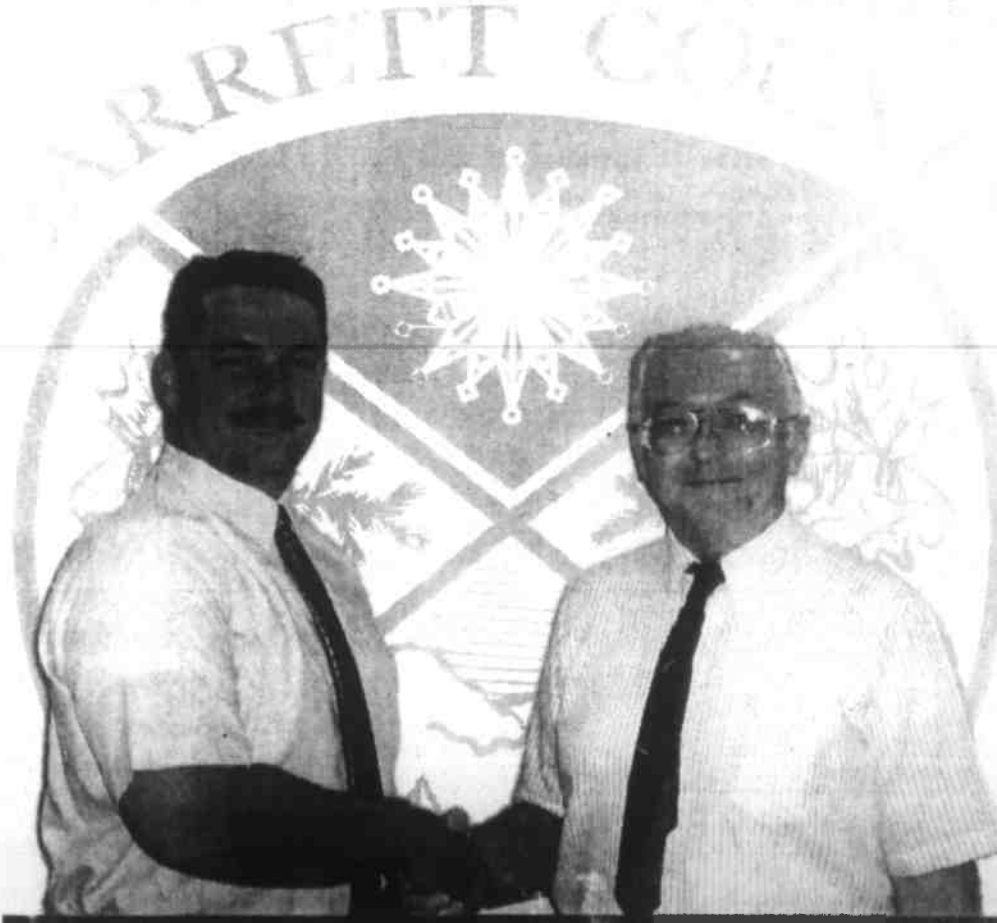
Initiated GCSO Domestic Violence Victim Program	1997
Fire Safety Officer Training	1998
Instructor "REALITY" Program	1998
First Responder Program	1999
Appointed Administrator of Detention Center	2000
Law Enforcement Executive Development School	2004

### CIVIC INVOLVEMENT

- Dove Center, Board of Directors
- Garrett Co. Family Violence Coalition
- Cindy's Fund - Promotes Cancer Screening
- American Red Cross Blood Donor
- Garrett County Lodge 99, FOP
- Life Member, Maryland Sheriff's Assn.

Authority Jeff Nelson, Treasurer

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Breath Test Program Supervisor	2 Years
Grant Manager	2 Years
Special Weapons/Tactical Team Leader	2 Years
Narcotics Investigator	2 Years

United States Army Basic Training and Infantry School	1990
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Promotion to Deputy First Class	1995
Standardized Field Sobriety Training	1995
Doppler Radar Certification	1995
Intoximeter School	1996
ASP Tactical Baton Training	1998
Highway Interdiction Training	1999-2000
Aerial Marijuana Observers Training	2000
Promotion to Corporal	2000
Promotion to Sergeant	2002
Laser Speed Detection	2003
P.B.T. Instructors Course	2005
AA Degree Garrett College	2005

### CIVIC INVOLVEMENT

- Coach of Fraternal Order of Police Little League Baseball Team, 1994
- Coach of Youth League Football Team, 1997-2000
- President of Fraternal Order of Police Lodge #99, 1998-Present
- Garrett County Republican Central Committee Treasurer, 1998-Present
- Member of Board of Directors Tanglewood Property Owners Association, 1998-Present (past President)
- St. Peter's Catholic Church Parish Council, 2000-2002
- Garrett County Civil Service Board, 2003-2005
- President of The Oakland Youth Football League, 2005-Present



## NHS Girls' Varsity VB Team Loses Opener; JV Wins

The Northern Huskies girls' varsity volleyball team lost to Allegany in its season opener 25-23, 25-22, and 25-16 Wednesday evening at Allegany.

Northern's Nicole Opel had seven serves, six hits, one block, and one kill. Jackie Rodeheaver had 11 hits, seven serves, and two kills.

Alexis Spriggs lead the way for Allegany with 16 hits, four kills, 11 serves, and one ace. Kelsey Smith had nine serves, seven hits, four kills, three blocks, and one ace. Bryann Deter had 16 serves with five aces, six hits, and one kill, while Justice Hoban contributed 11 serves, one ace, and 68 sets with 13 assists.

Northern won the junior varsity match 25-17, 23-25, and 15-7. Jessica Baker led Northern with 11 serves and four aces. Katy Umbel contributed 10 serves, seven hits, and three aces, while Taylor Malba had 11 serves and two aces.

Allegany's Tiffanie Williams had nine serves with four aces, and Rebecca Walmack had 10 hits with three kills.

Date	SCHEDULE	Loc.
9/11	Westmar	H
9/13	Southern	H
9/18	Meyersdale	H
9/19	Ft. Hill	A
9/21	Beall	A
9/26	Bishop Walsh	A
9/27	Westmar	A
10/2	Meyersdale	A
10/3	Beall	H
10/5	Ft. Hill	H
10/11	Allegany	H
10/17	Bishop Walsh	H
10/18	Salisbury	A
10/25	Southern	A



**NHS GIRLS' VOLLEYBALL SEASON BEGINS** - First year coach Jackie Hawkins said that this year's Northern High School girls' varsity volleyball team has a lot of talent and potential, as well as strong senior leadership. The varsity squad pictured above from left in Row 1 are: seniors Jackie Rodeheaver, Leah Blaser, Jessica Harvey, Nicole Espada, and Emily Sisler. In Row 2: Juniors Lindsey Wolf and Danielle Brenneman, sophomore Tanya Devine, coach Jackie Hawkins, Junior Nicole Opel, and sophomore Hannah Sines. The JV pictured below from left in Row 1 are: sophomore Kathy Umbel, freshman Erin Beller, sophomores Chelsie Glatfelter and Lacey Swauger, and freshmen Taylor Malba and Jessica Baker. In Row 2: freshmen Chelsie Custer and Cassie Doerr, sophomore Emma Bass, coach Rebecca Hinebaugh, and sophomores Karina Walker, Courtney Humberson, and Bethany Shaw.



the strength of the team lies in the push and desire of its team leaders. "They worked hard all summer, and they are pushing all the players to better themselves every day, and to play better as a team," the coach said.

Zak Brosnihan, Ed Herpel, Neil Kamp, and Andrew Joslin are returning players from last year's squad. Brosnihan, Herpel, Sisler, Smith, Kamp, Christian Bergstrom, and Joslin are the probable starters.

To date the Huskies are 5-7-1. In the triangular match at Rocky Gap on Tuesday, the Huskies finished with 195 behind Beall (177) and Fort Hill (195).

Glatfelter is excited about the team's potential. He expects to keep improving this year, and he says, "what we lack this year, we'll make up next year."

They play Southern today, Thursday, at 4 p.m. at the Oakland Country Club.

### NORTHERN HUSKIES GOLF SCHEDULE

Date	Opp.	Loc.
9/7	Southern	A
9/11	WMIL Champ.	A
9/13	Preston-Ft. Hill	H
9/19	Allegany	A
9/25	Garrett Co. Champ.	A
9/26	Region I Tour.	A
9/28	Southern-Beall	H
10/3	Bishop Walsh	H
10/6	Garrett Co. Champ.	A

### Ram Golfers Win Five-Team Match At Maplehurst

The Southern High School golf team, led by Joe Albert, who shot a low round of 37, won a five-team match with a score of 167 last Thursday at Maplehurst Country Club.

The Rams placed second to Beall yesterday at the Oakland Golf Club. Beall shot 165 and Southern came in with 172 followed by Petersburg with 181, Moorefield with 199, and Allegany with 211. To date the Rams have an impressive 16-3 overall record.

Led by returning starters Seth Fike, Albert, and Ryan Martin, the Rams hope to better last year's record of 34-12. But to do so, the



**SHS GOLF TEAM GETS OFF TO A WINNING START** - Led by returning starters Seth Fike, Joe Albert, and Ryan Martin, the Rams hope to better last year's record of 34-12. To date the Rams have an impressive 16-3 overall record. Coach Dave Martin said that the youth system set up by Oakland Golf Club pro Pat Warren continues to "keep SHS as one of the top high school (golf) programs in the area year after year." Pictured above from left in Row 1 are: Trevor Messenger, Adam Fitzwater, Tyler Ewing, Abbi Smith, Cathy Hughes, and Brady Donaldson. In Row 2 are: Ryan Martin, Seth Fike, Joe Albert, Derek DeWitt, Derek McDonnell, Daniel Hughes, and Mark Mattingly.

### SOUTHERN HIGH GOLF SCHEDULE

Date	Opp.	Loc.
9/7	Northern	H
9/11	WMIL	H
9/13	Tucker Co./Keyser etc.	A
9/19	Allegany/Northern	A
9/20	Fort Hill/Preston	H
9/21	Keyser	H
9/25	Northern (GC Championship)	A
9/26	Regionals	A

Rams must overcome their lack of experience. Coach Dave Martin said that seven of the squad's 13 players are new.

The Rams started their season as runners-up in a quadrangular match hosted by Keyser and played at Polish Pines, then coasted to a 169-197 victory over

visiting Tucker. Then, competing in a tri-match at Moorefield, they finished second to Petersburg.

The strength of the team, according to Martin, lies in the team's senior leadership. Fike went to state's last year and Martin is hoping that his three seniors make it to state's this year.

The Rams' probable starting line-up will be seniors Fike, Albert, Martin, junior Derick DeWitt, sophomore Tyler Ewing, and freshman Brady Donaldson.

Rounding out the squad are junior Abbi Smith, sophomores Adam Fitzwater, Cathy Hughes, Dan Hughes, and Derek McDonnell, and freshmen Mark

Mattingly and Trevor Messenger.

Martin continues to appreciate the feeder system that was established by Oakland Golf Club pro Pat Warren. Martin said that the youth system set up by Warren continues to "keep SHS as one of the top high school (golf) programs in the area year after year."

The Rams play Northern today, at 4 p.m., at the Oakland Golf Club.

**Re-Elect**

**Ernie Gregg**

**County Commissioner**

Authority: Troy R. Gnegy, Treasurer

### Northern's Golfers Start The Year With A Winning Attitude

The Northern High School golf team finished in a second place tie with Beall after shooting 173 last Thursday at Maplehurst Country Club. Matt Sisler shot a 40 for the Huskies. Both Beall and Northern finished behind Southern's

167 score.

The Huskies returned to the greens this year committed to excellence despite last year's 5-19-1 record, and the Huskies have generated "an I-can-do-it attitude," said coach Warren Glatfelter.

"This Huskies team is getting stronger every match. This team wants to learn, practice, and win," Glatfelter added.

According to the coach,



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I have worked for a healthy Garrett County, clean industry, efficient transportation, affordable water and sewage, quality education, strong law enforcement, reduced unemployment, more desirable senior citizens' benefits, neighborhood youth centers, and honest government structured to serve the people. You have relayed to me that these are your concerns. I guarantee that you will continue to be heard and that your views will be justly considered.

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P.S. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you would like to discuss any matters concerning the upcoming election. I can be reached at 301-334-5987 or my cell is 301-707-3007.

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## Southern Girls' Cross Country Team Has Many Shoes To Fill

A number of top runners from last year's Southern High School girls' cross country team, which captured third place in the 1-A state championships and recorded a record of 71-14, were lost to graduation; however, Coach Steve Cosner is optimistic about the Rams' 2006 campaign.

"The overall lack of experience is our biggest concern," Cosner said, "and so I look for us to struggle somewhat at the beginning of the season. But I think we will quickly improve."

Gone from that third-place state squad are Sarah Cosner, Courtney DiSimone, Leah Warnick, Eliz-



READY TO RUN are the "Runnin' Rams," members of the Southern High School cross country teams, who are scheduled to compete this Saturday in the Frankfort Invitational. The SHS girls' squad, coached by Steve Cosner, placed third in the state championships last year, but lost five varsity runners on that team to graduation. Pictured from left above, front row, are: Melinda Smith, Rachel Skipper, Kaitlyn Swift, and Erikah Lenox. In the second row are: Sarah Cosner, Samantha Griffin, Katy Lucas, and Jennifer Cosner. In the back row are: Lindsey Thayer, Hannah Davis, Kelsie Umbel, Brittany Boyce, and Sierra Wassell. The boys' team, coached by Jamie Beeman, is pictured below. From left, front, are captains Tim Preston, Mike McConnell, and Andrew Sauder. In the second row are Max Liller, Tom Warnick, Codie Beckman, and Patrick Sisler. In the back row are Tyler Tasker, Jordan Skipper, Seth Lewis, Ben Warnick, Jimmy Sharpless, and Joe Bever.



abeth Thayer, and Kelly Taylor. But among those back with experience are All-State runner Jennifer Cosner, Melinda Smith, Rachel Skipper, Katy Lucas, and Samantha Griffin. "Two sophomores will likely lead our team to the finish line on a regular basis," Cosner said. "Jennifer is a returning all state runner, while Sierra Wassell joined us this year and took over the number one spot in our first meet. We have great leadership in our senior captain Melinda Smith, who is our current #3 runner, and junior captain Rachel Skipper will likely be in the varsity mix throughout the year."

"I believe our biggest strength will be the competition within the team itself for the varsity spots from the boys' cross country team of Southern High School enters the 2006 season having posted a modest 36-41 record last season, but Coach Jamie Beeman is enjoying the largest team roster since he became head coach a few years ago."

Southern lost only one runner from last season, but he was the best on the team. Derek Upperman, who finished last season with All-State honors. Junior Mike McConnell is the top returning runner, and the only returning team member who qualified for the state meet last season.

Other members of the varsity roster are Jordan Skipper, Tim Preston, Joe Bever, Jimmy Sharpless, Andrew Sauder, and Patrick Sisler. Junior varsity runners are Ben Warnick, Tom Warnick, Tyler Tasker, Codie Beckman, Seth Lewis, and Max Liller.

"There is a lot of competition for the seven varsity spots," Beeman said. "This competition among team members will definitely help to make us a more competitive team in races. Besides having such a large team, we compete in one of the toughest regions of the state, and train on one of the most difficult courses in the state."

Beeman said it will be hard to replace Upperman, "but I believe that we will again qualify as a team for the state meet, and potentially we could have multiple All-State runners," he said.

"Our goal is to work hard and improve our times at every meet," he continued. "If we succeed at this goal, we will qualify the entire team at the state meet."

"Of course, our ultimate goal is to win a state championship," he added.

Beeman said he believes the Rams' most difficult opponents this year will be reigning state champion Clear Spring and state runner-up Beall.

Southern varsity boys' teams under Coach Carl Booth captured four state titles in the 1990s, by far the most state championships won by any team in any sport in school history.

The Rams will compete this Saturday in the Frankfort Invitational and host Meyersdale next Tuesday on their Broadford Park course.

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Over the past weeks in speaking with many of you, I find the dissatisfaction with the way things have been handled in the commission. The lack of communication with the public and the commissioners' office seems to be a number one problem. It makes it look as if something is being hidden. I want to work hard to stop this and bring the same "May I help you" attitude that I have with my businesses to the commissioners' office.

In closing, as I have state to all that I spoke to, I will do my best and let God do the rest.

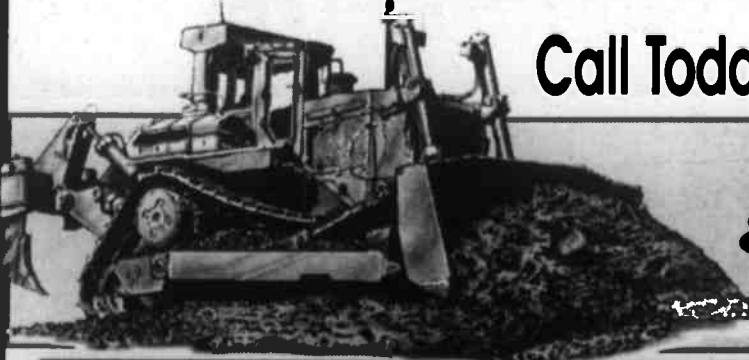
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## Sailboat Racing On Deep Creek Lake

### LABOR DAY WEEKEND AND THE COMMODORE'S CUP by Dan Muss

With a cold front coming down from the north and the storm Ernesto coming up from the south, I thought that Accuweather would have a tough time figuring out what would happen, but they were pretty much on target for this past holiday weekend. Saturday the prediction was for temperatures in the 50s, wind N at 7 knots with gusts up to 12 and rain. Since my wife and I were playing a concert that night we chose to stay on shore, so both and Ted Rissell and I were sidelined.

On Sunday it was still pretty cool, but we did go out in a nice westerly breeze and, although we had a great start, we sailed into a hole and rounded the first mark in fourth. Going downwind with spinnakers up we got into an interesting encounter with Miller. We were sailing pretty much straight downwind on port tack, planning to hold that tack in order not to have to jibe twice. Miller was on our left on starboard tack with right of way. She was forcing me to sail further off wind up to the point where we were sailing by the lee. Then, out of the corner of my eye, I saw her boom come over and I started to head up, as I was now leeward boat. But it turned out that she had caught the boom in mid-travel and had stayed on starboard right down to the mark. She was inside so had room, and after she rounded we could never catch her.

Monday morning was foggy with no wind. The Commodore's Cup was postponed for a while, the mist cleared, and a nice easterly breeze came up. As we were preparing to start, it first looked like the committee boat was going to be favored and our eight-boat fleet was clustered around there. But the earlier shifts indicated that the pin would be favored, and that's where we headed. With about 30 seconds to go we got the northerly shift and we tacked onto port at the pin with the nearest boat at least five boat lengths to leeward. We were able to hold that lead to a comfortable win, but with our next-to-last on Sunday and not sailing on Saturday, we were far out of the money. Frank and Geri Meehan won the Masters' Fleet with a first, second, and sixth.

Again, the weather was not ideal for much outdoor

activity over this past weekend, but it was fine for sailboat racing. There is an interesting factoid down in the results section. The July/August Series scoring is based on a competitor's best scores in 60% of the races; and 60% is also the number of races needed to qualify for a trophy. Jim Munford managed somehow to win trophies both as Frank Vandall's crew in the Championship Silver Fleet and as skipper in the Challenger Fleet! He obviously could not have been in two places at once - how did he do that?

Barbara Meredith, grandmother to those fabulous sailing Dodds, Meredith, Ashley, and Carrie, received the Sportsman of the Year award for her tireless efforts to organize and supervise our safely patrol, without which we cannot race.

This Saturday, Sept. 9, is our around-the-lake Magellan Race; competitors meet at 10 a.m., race starts at 11 a.m. The Magellan is usually our last race of the season, but on September 16 and 17, Deep Creek will host a Flying Scot National Regatta Called the "Silver Piper." It's a regatta for skippers over 60 years of age. I will not be here for the Magellan, but I will around for the Silver Piper, so there will be one more column later in September.

#### RACE RESULTS (skipper/crew)

##### Commodore's Cup Regatta

Laser Championship Fleet: 1. Chris Drury, 2. Peter Frey, 3. Keith Spinnenweber.

Laser Radial Fleet: 1. Josh Bullock.

Flying Scot Championship Fleet-Gold: 1. Carrie Dodd/John Meredith, 2. Joni Palmer/Dorita Cough, 3. Jon/Lauren Skoog, 4. Ray Gauthier/Ed Cough.

Flying Scot Championship Fleet-Silver: 1. Larry/Debbie Anderson, 2. Dave/Brian Bertsch, 3. Spencer/Marie Potts-Deakin, 4. Bob/Karen Vance.

Flying Scot Challenger Fleet: 1. Gary Schubert/Alice Rosanski, 2. Ed Kemp/Jessie/Lisa, 3. Ralph Kemp/Ed Rumble, 4. Jim Munford/Patty Copeland.

Flying Scot Masters' Fleet: 1. Frank/Geri Meehan, 2. Ted Kemp/Mike Belmonte.

#### July/August Series

Laser Championship Fleet: 1. Darrell Van Hutten, 2. Keith Spinnenweber, 3. Peter Frey.

Laser Radial Fleet: 1. Sue Wolfe.

Flying Scot Championship Fleet-Gold: 1. Ryan Schubert/Lucy Kammer, 2. Dick Gregory/Various Crews, 3. Bruce Spinnenweber/Layne Seelig.

Flying Scot Championship Fleet-Silver: 1. Frank Vandall/Jim Munford, 2. Dave Bertsch/Ronn Downey, 3. Bob/Karen Vance.

Flying Scot Challenger Division: 1. Alice/Ed Kemp, 2. Jim Munford/Patty Copeland, 3. Tom/Heidi Kammer.

Flying Scot Masters' Fleet: 1. Ted Rissell/Carol Muss, 2. Ed/Barbara Peters.

#### 2006 Awards

##### Fleet Championships

Laser - Darrell Van Hutten

Flying Scot Gold - Ryan Schubert/Lucy Kammer

Flying Scot Silver - Dave Bertsch/Ronn Downey

Flying Scot Challenger - Alice/Ed Kemp

Flying Scot Master - Ted Rissell/Carol Muss

##### Most Improved Sailors

Flying Scot Gold - Lee/Joan Coraor

Flying Scot Silver - Bob/Karen Vance

Flying Scot Challenger - Ned Holloway/Ted Gibbs

##### Bill Kennicott Participation

Bruce Spinnenweber

##### Sportsman of the Year

Barbara Meredith



**OFF TO A TOUGH START** this season is the Garrett College women's volleyball team, which dropped its first three matches. Members of the squad, pictured from left, are: Nicole Kovach, Jenna Wagner, Julia Bosley, Danielle Giotfelty, Carly Chase, Gabrielle Vera, Jayme Miller, Taleah Workman, Eugenna Carson, and Mindy Sharp. The Lakers are coached by Ann Wellham. The Lakers fell in three straight games Tuesday at Southern Maryland, 30-21, 30-19, and 30-21. They were 0-3 against Pitt Community College in their season opener, 30-14, 30-21, and 30-23, and they lost their second match to Louisburg three games to one.



**Crank** Rated R - Running time: 1 hr. 23 min.

I swear I didn't know what I was getting into when I went to see *Crank* by writer-directors Mark Neveldine and Brian Taylor. I let my granddaughter's fiancée choose the movie. Of course, I gave him a choice: We can go to see *Little Miss Sunshine* or *Crank* - you do the research; you decide - then off I went to Morgantown. Later that day, as we pulled into the parking lot of Garrett Cinemas, I said, "I'm up for a comedy. What's this *Crank* all about?" (I was thinking he'd done the research). On the way in, he was telling me the movie's like an educational documentary (or something of that nature) about the dangers of crystal meth. Wow, just what I wanted to see. I lumbered into the theatre wondering if I'd make it through the first ten minutes. Before the movie started, I reached over and touched his arm. "Don't tell me we're gonna have to sit through two hours of junkies shooting up. I don't think I could handle that," I said very politely. Then the trailers, then the movie, then the recognition - it's Jason Statham, the kick-ass, take-no-names guy in *Transporter I* and *Transporter II*. This, I told Nick in a quick whisper, wasn't going to be an intellectual excursion into the plight of crystal meth addicts. Nicholas, strap yourself in 'cause Statham rocks.

And I was right. From beginning to end, the rush is on. Freelance hit man Chev Chelios starts on a one-man rampage through the streets of Los Angeles after he gets the bad news from gloating gang-thug Ricky Verona (Jose Pablo Cantillo) that he's been slipped a "Beijing cocktail" (a serious killer drug with no known antidote) that will deep-six him within the hour. If Chelios is to get the revenge he seeks, his friend Doc (Dwight Yoakam) tells him he has to keep the adrenaline pumping in order to stay alive.

This is where the action picks up. Chelios races through L.A. snorting co-

caine from a bathroom floor, guzzling Red Bull, and cramming junk food into his face, while leaving mutilated corpses and spent ammo in his wake. Fleeing the authorities, he races down the street on a stolen police motorcycle, trashes multiple cars, annihilates a shopping mall, and has public - very public - sex with his clueless girlfriend Eve (Amy Smart), who thinks he's anything but a deadly assassin for hire.

In the final analysis, *Crank*, I suspect, is aimed at the crowd looking for the same kind of adrenaline rush that *Chelios* needs in order to stay alive. I came out of the movie wondering

### Daughters Of Zion To Meet

The Daughters of Zion will meet on Saturday, Sept. 9, at 10 a.m. at the Deer Park Community Center. The speaker will be Amy Railey.

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if I'd be able to sleep once I hit the bed. Looking for some kind of meaning in this movie is as absurd as pondering the dust on the foot of an elephant. In this movie, it's about the thrill. Leave your brain on hold, strap yourself in, and enjoy the ride.

### Most Beautiful

Continued from Page A-1 for many years, assisting in securing event sponsors,

and serving as a host for visiting musicians. She also served as the assistant director for the Garrett Choral Society for several years, and has served on the Maryland State Arts Council.

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**MAYOR O'MALLEY HAS BREAKFAST IN OAKLAND** — Baltimore mayor Martin O'Malley made a stop in Garrett County last Saturday and shared a pancake breakfast with the county's Democratic Club and many guests. A candidate for Maryland governor, O'Malley was accompanied by his running mate Anthony Brown, as well as Lanny Davis, who served on the White House Special Counsel during the Clinton administration. O'Malley is pictured above with Oakland mayor Asa McCain (left) and Davis; and is shown below with Lisa Bender, a 2006 Maryland Teacher of the Year finalist. She is a marketing and business teacher at Southern High School. The breakfast was held at the Oakland fire hall. Photos by Susan Bell.

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Assistance (MA), Maryland Children's Health Program (MCHP), Long-Term Care, Primary Adult Care (PAC), HealthChoice, Women's Breast and Cervical Cancer Health Program, and all waiver programs.

The new requirements do not apply to Medicare beneficiaries, newborns whose mothers were enrolled in MA or MCHP on the day they were born, refugees, asylees and other qualified aliens, and SSI recipients.

Federal law requires that all documents must be originals or copies certified by the issuing agency. The Department of Health and Mental Hygiene recognizes the hardship this currently poses for applicants/recipients, a spokesperson said. At this time, individuals unable to provide originals may forward copies. Applicants and recipients who provide copies rather than originals or certified copies may be required to provide originals later.

Participants may use either a U.S. passport or a Certificate of Naturalization or Citizenship to prove both citizenship and identity. Or, participants may choose from a list of documents to prove citizenship and another list of documents to prove identity, such as a birth certificate for citizenship and a driver's license for identity. For children under 16, a school record may be used for proof of identity.

For a full list of documents that can be used, persons may call the health department at 301-334-7720 or 301-895-3111, or go to [www.garretthealth.org](http://www.garretthealth.org) for links to the latest updates.

#### Celebrate Culture

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can American gospel choir, all performed by regional artists. Goat milking demonstrations, archaeological exhibitions, and living history activities can also be found on festival grounds. An Appalachian Wagon Train will visit the festival from noon to 1 p.m.

The festival's activities will be divided into a series of thematic tents. The Appalachian Explorations tent will offer presentations in the history of the region and the scientific underpinnings of much of what makes this area special, including wildlife, farming and the study

of native plants and their uses.

The folkways tent will offer introductions to such Appalachian arts as shape note singing, basket making, and beekeeping. In the children's hands-on tent, kids can try out crafts like weaving, corn-husk dolls, quilt puzzles, and much

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## Study Says Students Prepared For College, But It Costs Them

by Kerrie Abelyne  
Capital News Service  
Maryland does a good job preparing students for college, but the state needs to offer more help to low-income and minority families, said a report released yesterday by the National Center for Public Policy and Higher Education.

Students succeed on Advanced Placement exams and college entrance tests, said the study, "Measuring Up 2006," which grades states in five areas.

However, paying tuition, room, and board has become difficult, especially for low-income families, the report said. Maryland rated an F in affordability, the same as the last report in 2004.

"For most American families, college affordability has continued to deteriorate," said James B. Hunt Jr., chairman of the non-profit center's board of directors and former governor

of North Carolina.

"The share of family income required to pay for a year of college has continued to escalate for all but the wealthiest families. And financial aid for qualified students who can't afford college has not kept pace with tuition increases," Hunt said in a press release.

Maryland families in the lowest income bracket, those averaging \$15,000 annually, would have had to set aside 62 percent of their earnings to cover community college costs and 79 percent of their earnings to cover costs at public four-year colleges in 2005. It would cost almost double their incomes to attend a private, four-year school.

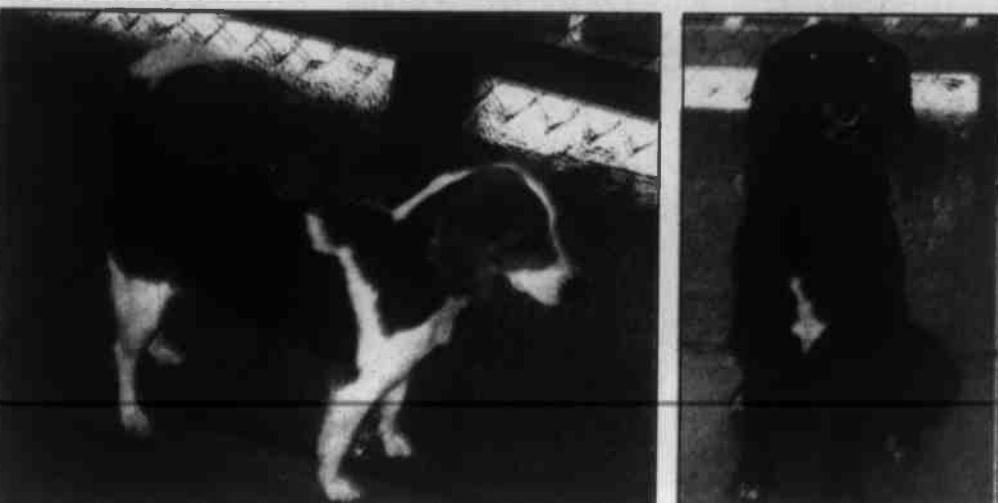
Costs are computed by figuring tuition, room, and board, and deducting any financial aid.

Middle-income families earning \$60,862 on average, would have had to save 17 percent of their earnings

## Adorable Adoptables



**LOOKING FOR GOOD HOMES**—These are just four of the numerous dogs waiting at the animal shelter to find a loving home. At the top left is a very nice female collie mix who was found in the Mtn. Lake Park area. At the top right is a male yellow Lab that was picked up in Grantville. The spokesperson said he is a nice, happy boy. At the bottom left is a small female beagle mix stray who is a sweetheart, according to a shelter spokesperson. At the bottom right is a black Lab mix who was abandoned by his owner. Animals are only "held" at the shelter for three days. There are also many cats and kittens looking for good homes. For more information, persons may call the shelter at 301-334-3553.



for community college, 22 percent for public four-year colleges and 42 percent for private four-year schools.

Those in the highest income group, families averaging \$161,046, would have had to put aside 6 percent of their earnings for community college, 9 percent for public four-year colleges, and 16 percent for private four-year colleges.

"Over the past several years, the state has increased its investment in need-based financial aid," the report said. "Nonetheless, the share of family income, even after financial aid, needed to pay for college is large when compared with other states."

California and Utah received the highest grades in affordability, earning a C- each.

Maryland is taking steps to make college more affordable in addition to investing more in need-based aid, officials said.

State funding increased by 15 to 16 percent in public four-year colleges and will increase by about the same percentage in community colleges next year, said Barbara Ash, research director at the Maryland Association

of Community Colleges.

That increase enabled public four-year colleges to freeze tuition for Maryland undergraduates this academic year.

"We may not have done so well this time around but I'm betting the report card for 2008 ... we should see some dramatic improvement," Ash said.

In other areas, the state earned good marks, with little change since the 2004 report. The center assigns grades after comparing each state to the state that did the best in a given category.

Maryland received an A- for preparation, a category that evaluates the K-12 system.

According to the report, over 75 percent of seventh- to 12th-graders have teachers who majored in the subject they are teaching, "which compares very well with leading states."

The study commended eighth-graders' performance on national assessments in writing, math, and reading, but warned that scores on national assessments in science were low.

The report also noted that low-income eighth-graders did not achieve high marks on national math assessments.

In participation, a category that looks at how the state enrolls its students in higher education, Maryland earned an A.

While the proportion of students who enroll in college directly after high school is low, Maryland leads in the percentage of adults, ages 25 to 49, participating in part-time postsecondary programs.

On the downside, non-white students are behind white students in college enrollment, with 43 percent of white students, ages 18 to 24, enrolled in college and 28 percent of non-whites enrolled.

The state received another A in benefits, which examines the economic and societal boosts Maryland receives from educated residents.

"Over the past 12 years, the percentage of residents who have a bachelor's degree has increased substantially, and the economic benefits that the state enjoys as a result have increased substantially as well," the report said.

The completion grade, which tracks students' ability to finish their postsecondary education, went up from a B- in 2004 to a B this year.

Drop-out rates among first-year postsecondary students fell since 1992, with half of first-year community college students return-

ing the following year and 81 percent of freshmen in four-year public and private institutions going on to the sophomore year.

Also high is the percentage of first-time, full-time college students who earn bachelor's degrees in six years. However, the report noted that black students are less than 75 percent as likely as white students to complete their postsecondary education.

"It's good news and bad news," said Joseph Vivona, University System of Maryland chief operating officer and vice chancellor for ad-

ministration and finance. "The good news is that the gap has narrowed significantly over the past 10 years ... But a gap still exists."

Vivona said the Board of Regents will create a work group this year to deal with retention and graduation issues.

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Coughing is an important defense mechanism that helps airways in the throat and chest in the clearing of mucus or foreign materials. A cough may be acute (lasting less than three weeks) or chronic (lasting greater than three weeks). Certain medical conditions can cause coughing. These include upper respiratory infections, sinusitis, rhinitis, asthma, or gastroesophageal reflux disease. Certain prescription medications may also cause coughing as a side effect. A cough may be productive or nonproductive, and should be treated accordingly.

For a nonproductive cough, a cough suppressant medicine is used for treatment. Codeine is available in some states in limited amounts without a prescription, and is used primarily for nighttime coughing. Dextromethorphan is another over-the-counter cough suppressant found in many products. Benzonatate is available only with a prescription for the treatment of a nonproductive cough. Guafenesin is an expectorant which is used for a productive cough. It works by thinning mucus to improve the process of coughing and clear mucus from the airway. If a cough is caused by smoking, emphysema, asthma, or chronic bronchitis, treatment should not be used because the cough is acting to keep the lungs clear and permit breathing.

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## You Do Have A Choice Vote Harland Tichnell for Sheriff on September 12

There are at least 7 retired officers from various agencies working for the Sheriff's Office. I mean no disrespect to these officers, as I know they are competent officers; however, they have already retired from their careers. The Sheriff's Office is a good opportunity for our young people to have a career and raise their families in Garrett County. Let's keep these jobs for our young people.

The current administration made a push to the county commissioners to have the retirement plan reduced from 30 years to 25 years. As I have no problem with a 25 year retirement, their reasoning was a 30 year retirement caused undue stress and health problems. Does this not apply to all officers? The retired officers have 25 years or more of service with other agencies.

What other problems does hiring these officers have on the employees of the Sheriff's Office? Morale issues? A divided office? Desire to give 100% to the taxpayers of Garrett County?

Even though it may have an initial cost to the taxpayer to train these young people, there will be long term benefits. Isn't now, when the county is financially stable, the time to train officers to serve Garrett County for the next 25 years?

**We need a change - You do have a choice!**

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**HARLAND TICHNELL FOR SHERIFF**



Authority: Larry Tichnell, Treasurer



## Rileys, Workman Selected As Celebration On Hill Ambassadors

Celebration on the Hill will be held Sept. 19 and 20 on the Mall in Washington, D.C. Doug and Terry Riley and Debbie Workman have been selected to represent Garrett County as COH Ambassadors. They will be meeting with Congressman Roscoe Bartlett and Senators Barbara Mikulski and Paul Sarbanes to discuss cancer research funding for the National Cancer Institute, reauthorization, and expansion of the National Breast and Cervical Cancer Early Detection Program.

They will also be requesting that the legislators sign the Congressional Cancer Promise. By signing the promise, lawmakers are promising to: Make health system reform a priority; elevate prevention, early detection and survivorship; increase the commitment to research; and expand access to care, said Doug Riley.

"Cancer strikes one out of two men and one out of three women, killing 1,500 people every day. Each cancer death, on average, steals 15 years of life. But today, people are increasingly living with cancer rather than dying from it — a testament to our nation's investment in biomedical research, cancer prevention, early detection and care," he added.

Since 1991, the death rate due to cancer has actually declined. Now more than 10 million Americans are living with a history of cancer. In fact, cancer is one of the most preventable and increasingly curable life-threatening diseases if detected early, said Terry Riley.

"Many stakeholders in the cancer fight are actively doing their part to defeat this disease, but it cannot be done without the sustained leadership and strong commitment of government," said Terry Riley. "The conquest of this disease is within our grasp if we adopt bold new policies and make the investment necessary. The opportunities to beat this disease demand our focused attention. Celebration on the Hill Ambassadors have given this disease their focused attention, and they will be asking the U.S. Congress to give it their attention as well."

Celebration on the Hill is the groundbreaking event of the American Cancer Society's sister advocacy organization, the American Cancer Society Cancer Action Network (ACS CAN). ACS CAN is the non-profit, non-partisan sister advocacy organization of the American Cancer Society. It is dedicated to eliminating cancer as a major public health problem through voter education and issue campaigns aimed at influencing candidates and lawmakers to support laws and policies that will help people fight cancer.

Persons may send letters of support for cancer research and early detection

## Two Grantsville Students Honored At Hood College

Two students from Grantsville were honored recently for their academic achievements at a convocation ceremony at Hood College. The local students are Tessa Jo Folk (a Hood scholar) and Dallas Rose Miller.

Students who qualify for the convocation honors have sophomore, junior, or senior status; have at least a 3.6 grade point average for the preceding academic year; have taken at least 12 credit hours per semester; and have no outstanding incomplete grades.

Students who are named Hood scholars are those who have received convocation honors for at least two consecutive years.

## Promised Land Quartet To Sing At Brookside

The Promised Land Quartet will sing at the Brookside Church of the Brethren on Saturday, Sept. 9, at 7:30 p.m.

The church is located along Rt. 50 near Aurora, W.Va., beside the Aurora fire department. The public is welcome to attend.

For more information, persons may call 301-334-8487.

## Public Speaking Contest Set By Soil Conservation

The Garrett Soil Conservation District is conducting a Conservation Education Speak-Off Contest on behalf of the Maryland Association of Soil Conservation Districts. This contest is open to county students in grades 9 through 12. The subject of the speech must be "Today is the Day to Conserve," and be at least three minutes but no more than five minutes long.

County participants will receive a \$50 award for first place, \$40 for second, and \$30 for third place winners. The local presentations will be videotaped, and the first place winner will be forwarded to the state level competition, where first place wins \$100, second wins \$75, and third wins \$50.

Application forms are available at the Garrett Soil Conservation District office located at 1916 Maryland Highway or by calling 301-334-6951. Applications



**REPRESENTING GARRETT COUNTY** — Doug and Terry Riley and Debbie Workman have been selected to represent Garrett County as Celebration on the Hill Ambassadors. This event will be held Sept. 19 and 20 on the Mall in Washington, D.C. They will be requesting that lawmakers sign the Congressional Cancer Promise. See story for more details. From the left are Workman, Tenna Taylor (American Cancer Society staff partner), Terry Riley, and Doug Riley.

must be returned to the office by Oct. 16. Presentations/taping will be scheduled in late October after all applications have been received. For more information, persons may call the office at 301-334-6951.

## Entrepreneurship Workshop To Be Held At GC

The Continuing Education and Training Division at Garrett College will host a free three-hour entrepreneurship workshop on Tuesday, Sept. 19, 6 to 9 p.m. at the McHenry campus.

Persons interested in starting a small business may find the workshop helpful, said Julie Yoder, program director of continuing education. The session

will be facilitated by a local business owner or professional who will help participants make an assessment of business readiness, local resources, financing options, creating a business plan, and other relevant topics. To register for the session, persons should contact the college at 301-387-3069.

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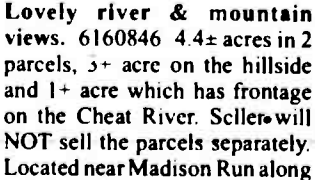
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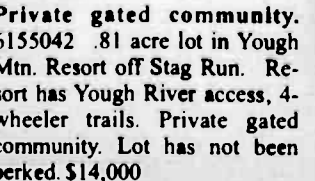
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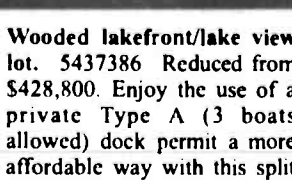
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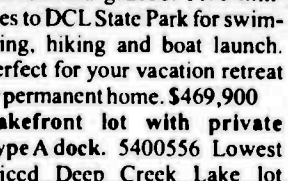
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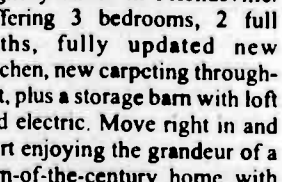
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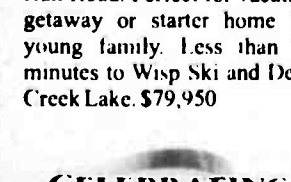
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## Hoyes, Paradise Churches To Hold Service, Picnic

The Deep Creek United Methodist Ministries of Hoyes and Paradise churches will hold a combined worship service and picnic at the McHenry Lions Park on Sunday, Sept. 10, starting at 10 a.m.

On the agenda will be a celebration of Grandparent's Day, confirmation of four youths, and a reception of new members into the fellowship. There will also be hymn singing and a message from Pastor Sam Wachter. Each grandparent present will receive a gift from the church.

Following the worship service, there will be an old-fashioned picnic. Hamburg-

ers, hot dogs, and beverages will be provided. Each family is asked to bring a covered dish to share. The afternoon will include games for all ages.

There will be no worship services at the Hoyes or Paradise churches that week. The McHenry Lions Park is located on Bumble Bee Road. The public is invited to attend.

## Beitzel Receives HBC Scholarship

Jennifer Nicole Beitzel of Grantsville was recently awarded a \$2,500 scholarship to attend the Hagers-town Business College.

She is a 2006 graduate of Northern High School, and plans to major in graphic design. She is the daughter of Hazel and Jim Beitzel.



Check it out!

## STUFF TO DO!

Featuring events that build assets in youth and promote community involvement:

### THURSDAY, SEPT. 7

• **Kitzmiller Empowerment Group meeting**, Kitzmiller Park, 7 p.m. Area residents of all ages welcome to join the group making things happen for Kitzmiller youth and families. (301-334-7730)

### SUNDAY, SEPT. 10

• **Partners After School @ Kitzmiller Fall Registration**, Kitzmiller Park Pavilion, 1 through 3 p.m. Kitzmiller youth in second through eighth grades are welcome to join this program featuring recreation, homework help, and creative activities. (301-453-3169)

• **Family Scrapbooking**, Accident fire hall, 2 to 5 p.m. Everyone is welcome to bring family photographs and family members for scrapbooking, door prizes, and refreshments. Meet each Sunday through October 15. Attend three or more sessions and receive a coupon for 25% off materials. Free. Bring own supplies or purchase on site. Sponsored by Accident Community Planning Group. (301-746-8437)

### MONDAY, SEPT. 11

• **Bethlehem Bunch meeting**, Kurt's Chapel, 5:30 p.m. Bethlehem area residents are encouraged to participate in planning activities for local youth and families. (301-334-0502)

• **Youth Planning Group meeting**, Mtn. Lake Park Veterans Park, 5:30 p.m. Residents of Oakland, Deer Park, and Mtn. Lake Park are encouraged to assist with youth activity planning. (301-334-7730)

• **Mountain Lake Park on the Move** walking program to begin. Participants are to meet at Wooddell Park (formerly Allegheny Park) along Allegheny Drive at 6:30 p.m. Walk with other Mtn. Lake Park residents each Monday evening through Sept. 25. Walk 2.5 miles and earn a "Mountain Lake Park on the Move" T-shirt. Registration deadline is Sept. 11; one-time fee of \$2. Call 301-334-7730 with questions or to register.

• **Oakland on the Move** walking program to begin. Participants are to meet at the storage building at Glades Town Park at 6:30 p.m. Walk with other Oakland residents each Monday evening through Sept. 25.

Walk 2.5 miles and earn an "Oakland on the Move" T-shirt. Registration deadline is Sept. 11; one-time fee of \$2. Call 301-334-7730 with questions or to register.

### TUESDAY, SEPT. 12

• **Kitzmiller Recreation Night**, Kitzmiller School playground, beginning at 6 p.m. Fun and games for Kitzmiller residents ages 5 through 12 years. Recreation Night will continue each Tuesday through Oct. 3. Free. (301-334-7730)

### THURSDAY, SEPT. 14

• **Accident Community Planning Group meeting**, Accident fire hall, 7 p.m. All area residents are encouraged to assist with community events such as the Bike Rodeo and Cancer Prevention Walk. (301-334-7730)

### SATURDAY, SEPT. 16

• **Tea Time Extravaganza**, Pleasant Valley Community Center, 1 to 4 p.m. This is a benefit for Hospice of Garrett County, and persons of all ages are invited for tea-time delicacies, Cinderella carriage rides, music, silent auction, door prizes, and yard games. Dress is style of choice. Admission is \$15 for adults; \$10 for youth 5-12; and free for those under 5 years. Reservations are required, and must be made by Sept. 1. Call 301-334-1688 to register or for more information.

### TUESDAY, SEPT. 19

• **Young Readers' Book Club**, Ruth Enlow Library in Oakland, 4 to 5 p.m. A discussion for youth ages 9 through 12 years on *Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing* by Judy Blume. Will Peter learn to get along with his not-so-sweet brother, nicknamed Fudge? Call 301-334-3996 to reserve a copy.

### SATURDAY, SEPT. 30

• **Ruth Enlow Library Bus Trip to the National Book Festival**, National Mall in Washington D.C., departing at 6:45 a.m. The National Book Festival, sponsored by the Library of Congress and hosted by Laura Bush, is free and features award-winning authors, illustrators, and poets. Charter bus transportation is \$35 per person. Registration deadline is Sept. 18. To register, call 301-334-3996, ext. 106, and provide name, address, phone number, and number of reservations.

Assets are qualities and experiences youth need to unleash their potential for growing into healthy, caring adults. For more information about Healthy Communities-Healthy Youth™ (HC+HY): Garrett County and about building assets in youth, call 301-334-1189.

HC+HY Garrett County and some of the activities above are sponsored by Garrett County Partnership for Children and Families Inc./LMB (Local Management Board), the Garrett County Health Department, Garrett County Extension Service, and the Governor's Office of Crime Control and Prevention.



## Bolding Graduates With High Honors From Rochester



Nichole Bolding, daughter of Michael Bolding, Spring Run, Pa., and Christina Broomfield, Frederick, and granddaughter of Leroy and Norma Bolding, Oakland, graduated with high honors from the Rochester (N.Y.) Institute of Technology in May.

The graduation ceremony was held at the Gordon Field House in Rochester.

Bolding graduated with a bachelor of science degree in graphic media. She is currently working as a manager in Alexandria, Va., at a marketing/advertising company.

## GC Offering Basic Sign Language Class

A basic sign language course will be offered by the Continuing Education and Workforce Development Division of Garrett College. The course will be held at the Southern Outreach Center beginning on Monday, Sept. 11, at 6 p.m.

For more details or registration information, persons may contact Patricia Baer at 301-334-8304.



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## WENDELL BEITZEL FOR DELEGATE

Authority: Team Beitzel, Marta Schroyer Treasurer

## Annual Event Set At Underwood Brethren Church

The Underwood United Brethren in Christ Church will hold its annual Homecoming Day event on Sunday, Sept. 10.

The schedule is as follows: morning worship at 9 a.m., with the Rev. Marshall Woods, and children's church available during worship; 10 a.m., Sunday school (classes kindergarten through adult); 1 p.m., covered dish dinner in the pavilion; and 2:30 p.m., program with a variety of entertainment.

The church is located on Underwood Road, approximately six miles west of Oakland.

The public is invited to attend.

## 43rd Mellinger Reunion Held

The 43rd annual Mellinger reunion was held Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 19 and 20, at the John F. Mellinger Jr. Farm near Swan ton.

Saturday was a "work day," with a corn roast and spaghetti dinner. On Sunday, a skeet shoot was held at 11 a.m., and lunch was served at 1 p.m. John Legeer said the blessing, and a horseshoe competition and games for all ages were held in the afternoon.

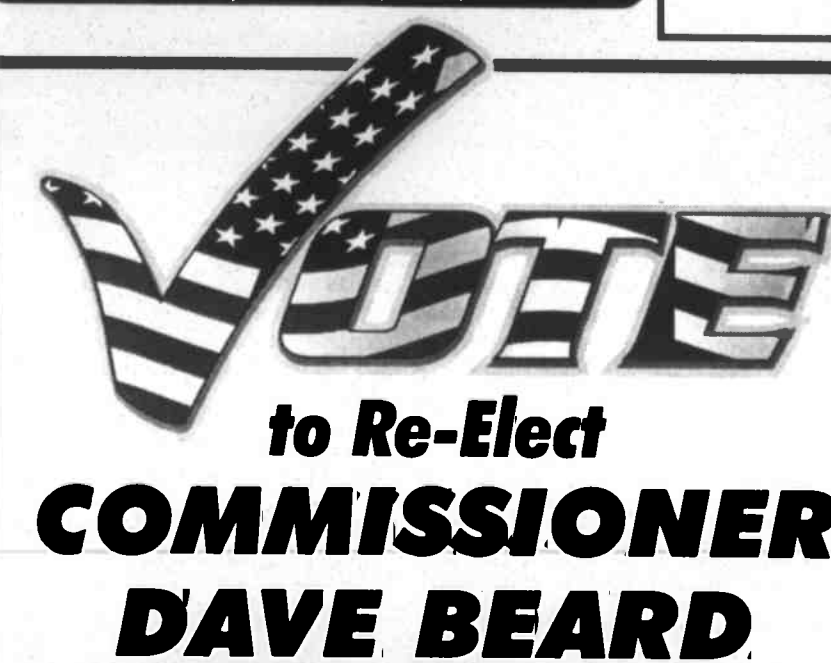
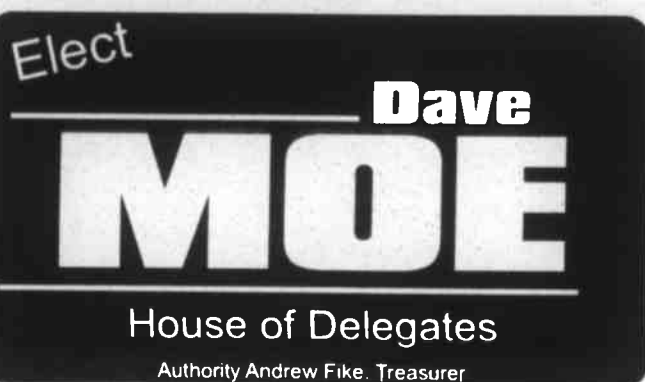
Skeet shoot trophy winners were John Mellinger III, Becky Mellinger, and Robbie Miller Jr.

Women's horseshoe trophies were given to Stephanie Mellinger and Brittany Huges for first place. Second place winners were Melissa Mellinger and Diane Lindt. Men's horseshoe winners were Randy Mellinger and Mike Welch, first place, and Clarence Mellinger Sr. and Russ Costello, second place. Youth winners were Jordyn Sines and Mackayla Mellinger.

The oldest woman present was Edna Wolf, and the oldest man was Calvin Giotfelty. The youngest child was Alanna Maelyn Kuchinski of Kingwood, W.Va. Door prizes were won by Brian Longacre and John Mellinger III. Becky Sines won the gun raffle.

Other prizes were won by Bernard Moon, Deb Sweitzer, Alice Filsinger, Anthony Hardesty, Lia Kunkler, Stephanie Mellinger, Whib and Caroline Mellinger, Brooke Hughes, Bob Mellinger, Mike Nasser, and Brandon Butler.

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- Worked to improve funding for playground equipment at elementary schools
- Worked to improve funding for athletic facilities at middle and high schools
- Supported Salem School Capital Campaign Fund
- Supported New Garrett County Scholarship Program (Full-time student aid package covering costs of tuition and fees at Garrett College for all county high school graduates beginning with the class of 2006)

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## Book Signing Set At Grantsville Museum Sept. 16

Grantsville Community Museum curator Earleena Tressler has announced that local historian and writer Al Feldstein will be at the museum on Saturday, Sept. 16, from 1 to 4 p.m. to sign copies of his new book, *Garrett County Post Card History*. The books are available for sale at the museum, with all proceeds going to museum operations.

The book, published by Arcadia Publishing Co., features vintage images of Garrett County selected from the author's collection of several thousand postcards. Information about the images is included on nearly every page.

The Grantsville museum is now open on Fridays and Saturdays from 1 to 4 p.m. Displays include a collec-

tion of local artifacts, including a gallery of black and white photos taken by Leo Beachy in the early 1900s.

A group of community members is currently organizing a board of directors to oversee the operations of the museum.

In addition, a group called Friends of the Grantsville Community Museum (FGCM) is being formed to serve as the support group for the museum. Members of the FGCM will serve as financial supporters of the museum, and as volunteers to work in the museum to show artifacts to visitors.

Persons interested in becoming members may visit the museum or call 301-895-5454 to get more details.

The town of Grantsville provides an annual grant to help with the operations of the museum, and various



**NEW BOOK AVAILABLE** — Grantsville Community Museum curator Earleena Tressler is pictured with the book *Garrett County Post Card History*, which is currently for sale at the Grantsville Community Museum. All proceeds will benefit museum operations. The author, historian and writer Al Feldstein, will be available to sign copies of the book at the museum on Saturday, Sept. 16, from 1 to 4 p.m. The museum is currently open on Fridays and Saturdays from 1 to 4 p.m. See story.

fundraisers are held by the group to raise additional funds.

Artifacts can be donated or lent to the museum by contacting Earleena Tressler

at the museum. Since space is limited, an artifact committee makes all decisions about what can be accepted for display.

## FRIENDSVILLE NEWS

### ASHER GLADE CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

District Conference will be held at Moorefield Sept. 15 and 16. Pastor Ed and his wife, along with Louise and Hugh Friend, will be representing Asher Glade.

The ladies of the church will meet Tuesday, Sept. 12, at 7 p.m. and put together the school kits that were collected.

Nursing home visitations will be held Sunday, Sept. 17, beginning with Kamp's at 1:45 p.m.

### CAMP SONRISE

Camp Sonrise Mountain will hold its 40th anniversary celebration on Saturday, Oct. 7. Fellowship and reminiscing will be held from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., and the Savage Family will perform gospel/bluegrass from 2 to 3 p.m. There will be a service of celebration and thanksgiving at 3:30 p.m. There will be a display of camp pictures in the Sonrise Room and camp pictures will be available on CD. Food concession will be available from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. The concert and worship service will be held in a large tent. All are welcome.

### SOUP DINNER

A homemade vegetable soup and hot homemade buns dinner has been scheduled for Friday, Sept. 15, from 4 to 7 p.m. at the Friendsville United Methodist Church. Dinners will be served at the church, and orders are also being taken ahead of time by calling Sherry Fike at 301-746-5548. Takeouts are also available. The public is welcome to attend. The church is located at 623 Water Street in Friendsville.

### BLOOMING ROSE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Brotherhood will be held at the Blooming Rose Methodist Church on Tuesday, Sept. 12, at 6 p.m.

### FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

First Christian Church will sponsor a multi-family yard sale held on Friday, Sept. 15, and Saturday, Sept. 16, from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. both days. The event will be held rain or shine. The First Christian Church is located at the corner of Chestnut and First

### Avenue in Friendsville. FRIENDSVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

There will be a charge nominating committee meeting at 6:30 at the Friendsville UMC. All three church nominating committees will meet at 7:30 p.m.

### ANNUAL STREET FAIR

Grace Lutheran Church will hold its annual Street Fair this Saturday, Sept. 9, beginning at 9:30 a.m. There will be yard sales and a bake sale. Homemade soups, sandwiches, desserts, and drinks will be available. This is a matching fund event with Thrivent Financial, and is being sponsored by WELCA. The public is welcome.

### RUSH BAPTIST CHURCH

Rush Baptist Church will have a corn roast and hayride this Sunday, Sept. 10, after church at the Schmidt farm in the Cove near Accident. Persons are asked to bring a covered dish.

### LAUREL RUN CHURCH OF GOD

The Laurel Run Church of God will hold revival services Sept. 20-24 beginning at 7:30 each evening, and on Sunday, Sept. 25, at 10:45 a.m. Earl Elderkin from New York will be the guest speaker each evening. Following the Sunday

morning worship will be a Sunday School picnic at 12:30 p.m.

A rummage and bake sale will be held at the church on Saturday, Oct. 14, from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

### WOW LODGE 45

Lodge 45 will hold its annual awards banquet on Saturday, Oct. 7, at the Friendsville fire hall, beginning at 6:30 p.m. Entertainment will be provided and door prizes awarded. The cost of the dinner is \$5 per member. Guests are welcome and the cost of their meal will be \$10. Those wishing to attend are asked to contact Mary Frantz at 301-746-5331.

### IN HONOR AND REMEMBRANCE

Woodmen of the World Lodge 45 will conduct a special patriotic ceremony to honor the heroes and victims of the Sept. 11, 2001, terrorist attacks, and to salute the local heroes of the communities.

The ceremony, called In Honor and Remembrance — Woodmen Salutes America's Heroes, will include recognition of police officers, firefighters, members of the armed forces, and others who safeguard the community and the nation. The ceremony will be held Monday, Sept. 11, at Friendsville Community Park at 5:30 p.m.

It will include various musical groups and speakers. Continued on Page B-14

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Authority: Andrew Fike, Treasurer

**TOWN-WIDE YARD SALE**  
The town of **Grantsville** is sponsoring a **Town-wide Yard Sale Day**, **Saturday, Sept. 9, 2006**  
Residents are urged to participate. Have a yard sale Sept. 9.

**LIONS CLUB CHICKEN BARBECUE AT THE PARK**

### Constitution Prog. For Preschoolers Set At Accident

Pastor Randy Naim will present a program about the U.S. Constitution at the Accident Library on Wednesday, Sept. 20, during the preschool story time, 11 a.m. to noon.

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## GC Native Helps Build New Playground In New Orleans

Garrett County native Melissa Sines traveled to New Orleans recently to participate in a playground build coordinated by KaBoom!, a nonprofit organization that works to construct a playground within walking distance of every child. On the anniversary of Hurricane Katrina, The Home Depot®, KaBoom!, Playworld Systems, and Hands On Network mobilized thousands of volunteers in seven Gulf Coast communities to build 10 new playspaces in just four days.

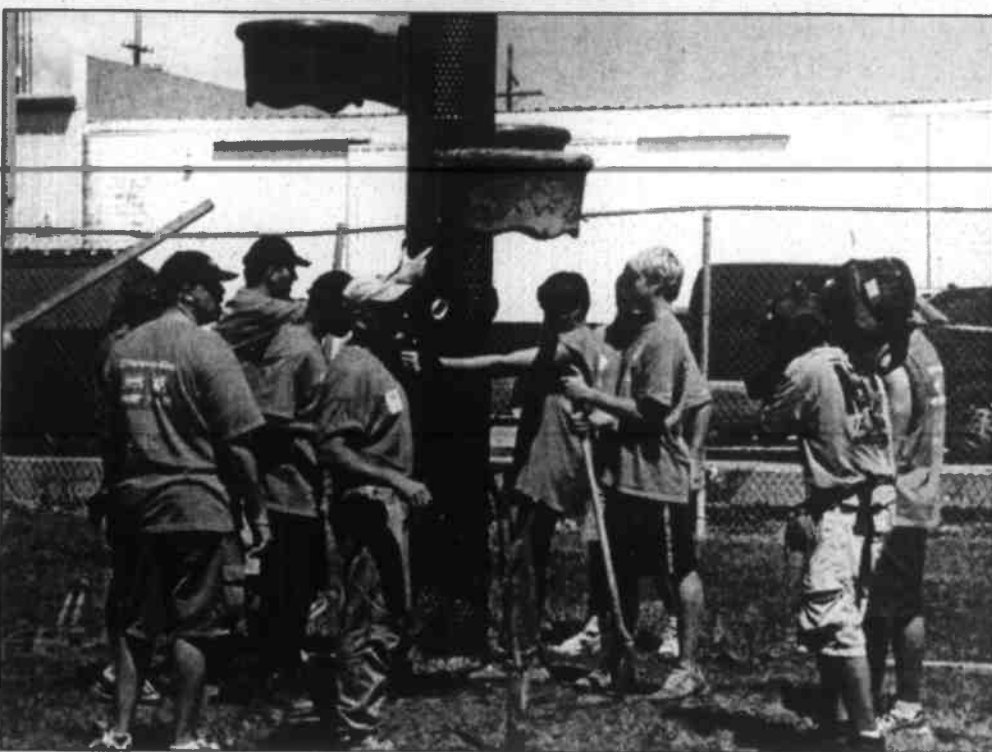
"My trip to New Orleans was very eye-opening," she said. "It's so strange to see all the emptiness around, but at the same time, it's amazing to see the people who are doing something to put the city back together."

Melissa and others participating received a tour of the 9th Ward, which is still officially closed, and visited several playgrounds that KaBoom! has built in the city.

"It was so heart-warming to hear the stories of how



**LENDING A HAND** — Melissa Sines, a Garrett County native, recently helped KaBoom! Build a playground for children at the Nelson School in New Orleans. On the anniversary of Hurricane Katrina, The Home Depot®, KaBoom!, Playworld Systems, and Hands On Network mobilized thousands of volunteers in seven Gulf Coast communities to build 10 new playspaces in just four days. Pictured above is the group in front of a completed playground. Below, some of the volunteers erect a basketball hoop. See story. Photos by Melissa Sines.



the playgrounds had impacted the children's lives," Sines said. "The kids have been largely forgotten. Some of them are scared whenever it rains because they think another hurricane is coming — and it rains there every day."

Melissa said there were many VIPs at the build on Monday. More than 300 volunteers built a play-

ground in six hours. In addition to the hundreds of volunteers, NBA legends Bob Lanier and Willis Reed, current New Orleans/Oklahoma City Hornets players Brandon Bass and Bobby Jackson, along with staff of the Hornets, and team owner George Shinn, were also in attendance for the build.

Stars of TLC's hit show *Trading Spaces* Hildi Santo-Tomas, Frank Bielec, Laurie Hickson-Smith, and Andrew Dan-Jumbo were also a part of the volunteer team. They were joined by the KaBoom! board of directors; Matt Miller, Playworld Systems president; Brad Shaw, senior vice president of corporate communications and external affairs for The Home Depot; Erika Putinsky, director of Hands on Gulf Coast; Ava Lee, Nelson UNO Charter School principal; and Darrell Hammond, KaBoom! co-founder and CEO.

"The build was absolutely indescribable — so many people, and so much got done," said Sines. She said the children sang songs for the workers and made everyone cards.

"Everyone really made a huge effort, and so much was accomplished," she added. "We painted a mural, made an outside classroom, built the playground, and did a couple other installations of equipment around the school like basketball hoops, planters, and other things."

This effort to rebuild playgrounds in the Gulf Coast is one that was the

really stepped in.

"It was amazing to hear of the ripple effects on the community that building a playground can have — we talked to a director of a childcare center that described the playground built at her center as a 'light house,' and I agree that is

an apt description."

Melissa is the daughter of Susan and Russell Sines, Oakland.

For more information on KaBoom! and Operation Playground, persons may visit [www.kaboom.org](http://www.kaboom.org).

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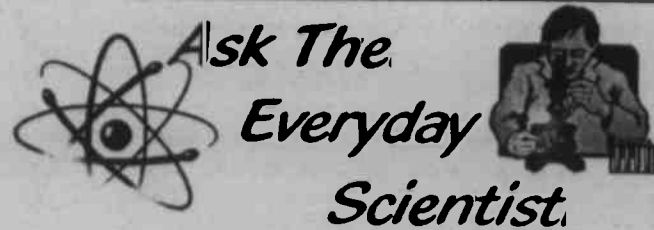
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- County Bridge Crew has replaced 14 bridges
- New County Roads Garage at Grantsville
- Oakland Garage and Administration Facility in the process of becoming a reality
- Replaced old worn-out equipment with new modern equipment, i.e. new paver, new trucks, new snow blowers, new mowers, etc.

I am proud to have been a part of these and other Road System accomplishments and equally as proud of the efforts and dedication of our county roads workers in making these things happen during my tenure in office as your County Commissioner.

By authority: Beverly J. Beard

**Let's Continue What We Started, Together!**





## PLUTO

by Dr. Thomas P. Sheahen

*Q. I read that Pluto is no longer considered a planet. What caused Pluto to get demoted from "planet" status?*

Pluto is just plain too small. It is much smaller than even the least of the other planets (Mercury), and really tiny compared to the planet nearest to Pluto (Neptune). The diameter of Neptune is 30,248 miles, but Pluto's diameter is only 1,430 miles. For comparison, both Venus and Earth have diameters around 4,000 miles. Pluto certainly has less than 1/10 the mass of Earth, and that's a generous guess. The fact that Pluto is 3 1/4 billion miles away makes it tough to collect good data.

Those numbers show that Pluto is really tiny by planetary standards. The sun really has four major planets, known as the *gas giants*: these are Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus and Neptune. Jupiter dominates the solar system; the mass of Jupiter alone is more than double the sum of all the other planets. There are also four minor planets, closer to the sun: Mercury, Venus, Earth and Mars.

There are a lot of *celestial objects*. For example, the *asteroid belt* is a collection of rocks between Mars and Jupiter that never coalesced into a planet. That was because both the Sun and Jupiter pulled so strongly (in opposite directions) that those rocks could never get together and accumulate. That gives you a clue of what's wrong with Pluto. There are some very large asteroids, some big enough to

have names, such as Ceres.

The asteroids mostly go around in a circular orbit, but occasionally, due to collisions and interactions, one goes flying off in a different direction. It then travels around the solar system in an eccentric orbit. If one should happen to cross Earth's orbit, at a time when Earth is in its way, it will collide with Earth. We call that a *meteor*. If Earth is elsewhere in its orbit, then it's "nobody home" and we take no notice of the passing asteroid.

Most of the planets have moons, which are objects that orbit that planet, not the sun. One advantage Pluto does have is that it orbits the sun.

Out beyond Neptune, in the outer reaches of the solar system, there is another very large band of gas and dust and debris known as the *Oort Cloud*. Like the asteroid belt, the Oort Cloud contains a huge number of rocks of all different sizes. The gravitational forces between them were never enough to pull a lot of them together into a planet.

However, some very big rocks did form by gravitational attractions between smaller rocks, and that is essentially what Pluto is. There are thousands of similar objects way out there. Pluto is one that happened to go into an orbit of a very special kind: Pluto's path is an ellipse, and sometimes it is actually inside the orbit of Neptune.

The way Pluto was discovered in the first place (circa 1930) was because astronomers detected a variation in the orbit of Neptune, and reasoned that there must be a heavy object out there that was exerting a pull on Neptune. They calculated where such an object ought to be, and upon looking in the right place, an object was there. It was given the name Pluto. (Walt Disney named Mickey Mouse's dog after Pluto a year or so later.)

With the passage of 70+ years and the discovery of countless *celestial objects*, people began wondering about the comparative importance of Pluto. The decision in August by the International Astronomical Union was not just a whimsical "vote him off the island" popularity contest. It was a long time in coming.

Astronomers convened and decided what the characteristics are that make something a planet: a) it orbits the sun; b) it is sufficiently massive that its own gravitational force can squeeze all the accumulating rocks together into a round ball; and c) it must have "cleared" all the neighborhood around its orbit (that is, it picked up the trash, so to speak). That third criterion rules out all the occupants of the asteroid belt. Pluto flunks the second test - it's really just a huge irregular rock.

One puzzle that tantalizes the astronomy community has to do with the Oort Cloud, which (calculations seem to indicate) may contain a very massive object. But it's so far and so dark that space probes would have to travel to the Oort Cloud to find out anything. NASA has repeatedly decided it has better places to put its resources. Nevertheless, the future day could come when a new object is promoted to the status of planet # 9.

*Q. I read with great interest the article this past week on cellulosic ethanol. On the other hand, many years ago "wood alcohol" was very popular as a fuel. With all of the forests here in Garrett County it would seem to me that would be a way to go. Can the wood alcohol industry be restarted here in Garrett County? CNH, McHenry*

It's all a matter of economics. Wood is most often used for paper, and that's good economic value - you WANT the cellulose itself (at a paper mill), and don't want to break it down into alcohol. Agricultural waste like branches and leaves and so forth have no value in themselves, and hence are candidates for the biomass refinery. At the refinery, you can make a lot of different hydrocarbon chemicals, including methanol or ethanol (wood alcohol = methanol). But the economics again work out to create a preference for ethanol.

I could easily see a bio-refinery coming to Garrett County some day.

Dr. Sheahen is a physicist who was educated at MIT. He lives at Deep Creek Lake and has taught physics at Garrett College. Persons wishing to submit questions for this column may e-mail them to [newsroom@therepublicannews.com](mailto:newsroom@therepublicannews.com).



## PATRIOT'S DAY ASSEMBLY SLATED

Southern High students and staff will commemorate the events of 9-11 in a Patriot's Day Assembly next Monday, Sept. 11, at 8:45 a.m. outside in front of the high school. Students and staff will sing patriotic songs and share reflections. Members of the Southern Garrett High School Marching Band and the JROTC Color Guard will lead remembrance activities also.

## PSAT ADMINISTERED IN OCTOBER

The PSAT will be given on Wednesday, Oct. 18. The county pays for all tenth graders to take the test. The test fee is \$12 for students who are not in the tenth grade. Ninth and eleventh graders, along with students who are home schooled or who attend a private institution, may sign up to take the test in the SGHS guidance office or by calling 301-334-1660 and asking for Kelley Davis. Juniors are strongly encouraged to sign up for and take the PSAT again because some scholarship programs will only con-

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-Anthony & Brittany Green

sider students who have PSAT scores in their eleventh grade year of high school.

**2005-06 YEARBOOKS AVAILABLE FOR PICK-UP**  
The 2005-2006 yearbooks will be available for pick-up Friday, Sept. 15. Families are welcome to pick up for seniors. Please contact Erin White with any questions.

## SCHOOL PICTURES SCHEDULED

Underclassman pictures will be taken Thursday, Sept. 14. Students received picture ordering forms on Tuesday, Sept. 5. Even if a student is not purchasing a package, he or she should still have a picture taken for the yearbook. Contact Maria Zumpano for more information.

## RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE ON SEPT. 29

On Friday, Sept. 29, the Southern High School Student Council will sponsor a blood drive for the American Red Cross. Students who will be age 16 years old or older on that date and who are enrolled as juniors or seniors will be eligible to donate. Sign-ups for this blood drive will take place during lunch shifts in the cafeteria from Thursday, Sept. 14, until Thursday, Sept. 21. All student donors, regardless of age, will need to complete and have a parent or guardian sign a parental consent form. These forms must be completed and signed by a parent or guardian and turned in to Mr. Leitzel in Room #1235 before the Sept. 29 blood drive. This blood drive is reserved to students and staff at Southern High School and will not be opened to the general public. The goal for this drive is 25 pints.

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You might be concerned about "tire kickers" or nosy neighbors traipsing through your home, but don't be too skeptical. There are plenty of reasons neighbors visit an Open House, many of which are quite harmless and understandable.

They might simply be looking for decorating ideas to implement in their similar homes. True, in this case they are not potential buyers, and are not looking on behalf of anyone else. But why would you want to start quarreling with people from whom you are soon moving away?

Maybe they are interested in the presentation of your home because they are considering selling theirs. The point you just never know. Frankly, that is the work of the real estate agent.

It's simply best for you to leave your home during the showing, and leave the "Lookie Lou's" and genuine prospects to the agent to handle. Sincere buyers can be uncomfortable asking questions in front of the owners, but the agent will have all the knowledge and experience to separate the seed from the chaff. Don't worry, start packing!

If you'd like to buy or sell a home, but feel "out of touch" with what's happening in real estate, give me a call at the office, or on my cell phone at 301-501-DALE.



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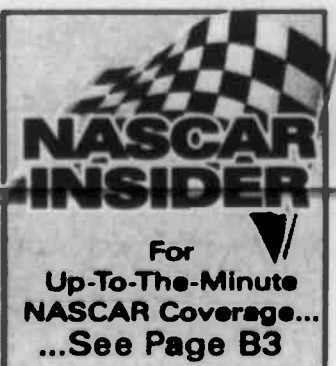
### Senior Centers To Host "Ask The Pharmacist"

Lance Rhodes, pharmacist for the Garrett County Memorial Hospital, will provide a presentation on medications and their interactions with vitamins, foods, and over-the-counter medicines at various senior center sites in Garrett County.

He will also provide information on medication management, such as developing a list of medicines, checking all labels for correct dosages, and watching for interactions. Senior citizens may also bring their medications for "brown bag" services.

"Ask the Pharmacist" will be available at the Mary Browning Senior Center on Sept. 11 at 11:15 a.m., Kitzmiller Community Center on Sept. 13 at 11:30 a.m., Grantsville Senior Center on Sept. 21 at 11:15 a.m., Swanton Community Center on Oct. 2 at 11:30 a.m., and Friendsville Community Center on Oct. 9 at 11:30 a.m.

For more information, persons may contact Leona Lavin at 301-334-9431, ext. 133, or 301-895-5818. "Ask the Pharmacist" services is available to all adults age 60 and over.



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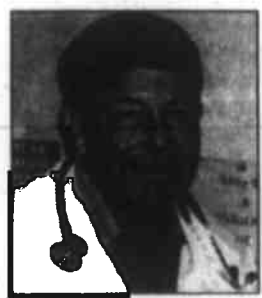
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## 10 Reasons Dave Moe to vote for: Republican Candidate Maryland's House of Delegates

You've heard of Dave Moe or hopefully met him at many community festivals, fire and rescue fundraisers and local events, where he's frequently tied on an apron and flipped burgers, dished up meals or helped out wherever folks needed a hand.

In essence, that's how Dave Moe volunteers and has been working for years—quietly behind the scenes—to boost local business projects, attract and keep good-paying jobs here and otherwise do whatever it takes to enhance our area's special quality of life.

For those who may have questions about Dave Moe, what he has done for Garrett and Allegany Counties, or just want a few more facts... consider the following 10 reasons why Dave Moe would appreciate your vote on **Primary Election Day, September 12th**

**1 He's a business advocate and owner** who has held leadership positions and shared his expertise as a member of the Garrett County Development Corporation and the Western Maryland Economic Development Corporation. He was part of a business team which successfully proposed and lobbied the Garrett County Commissioners to eliminate the business personal property tax.

**2 He's a problem solver** who worked with other business leaders to create a "local business preference" for Garrett County businesses which bid on county government contracts.

**3 He's a key leader** of Mountain Maryland's economic growth and has long pushed for important transportation initiatives such as the US 219 4-lane from Grantsville to Somerset, and the runway expansion of the Garrett County Airport.

**4 He was the first president** of the new Garrett County Chamber of Commerce, created by the 1997 merger of the Mountain Top Chamber and Deep Creek Lake Promotion Council and led a team that successfully lobbied for state grant funding for the Garrett County Visitor's Center.

**5 He has worked with legislative leaders** seeking to reduce health insurance costs, chiefly by advancing "association health benefit plans" so that small businesses could join together to buy affordable health insurance.

**6 He alerted lawmakers** and others to the fact that non-profit organizations like fire departments, rescue squads, and churches are charged as "commercial" electric customers and pay on average 40 percent more than residential customers.

**7 He is a hard-working volunteer** who has devoted over 15 years of service to the Oakland Rotary Club, and served on committees of the Western Maryland Consortium, the Garrett County Board of Education and Garrett College to foster job growth and work force development.

**8 He has established valuable contacts** with Maryland lawmakers based on years of work advocating bills critical to helping Garrett and Allegany Counties.

**9 He's a former coal miner** who supports new state laws to keep the NewPage Paper Mill and the region's Forest Products, Agriculture, Coal and Trucking industries healthy and growing.

**10 He's a staunch Republican** who values protecting our 2<sup>nd</sup> Amendment and Property Rights and intends to hold the line on taxes and fees.

**Let's continue the Moe-mentum!**  
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# TV-PIPELINE

So you think you know Fox's 'Dance' host?

By Jay Bobbin  
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Q: "So You Think You Can Dance" has been the highlight of my summer TV viewing. I have especially enjoyed Cat Deeley. What can you tell me about her? —Janice Rolens, Annapolis, Md.

A: Enlisted by Fox to preside over the show when first-season host Lauren Sanchez's pregnancy made her unavailable, two-time BAFTA Award winner Deeley also has served as the host (or "presenter," as they're called there) of many British entertainment programs, including "Stars in Their Eyes" and "CD: UK Live."

Deeley also has acted on such shows as "Little Britain" and "Happines," and she was the co-host of the London-based radio program "Cat and Edith's Hit Music Sunday." And to the likely envy of every fan of "Bono," she was the "Cat" in the special "When Cat Met U2" on the foreign network ITV.

Q: On the last episode of "Law & Order" last season, the actress who played opposite Sam Waterston was killed off. Why? And who will replace her next season? —Dave Hobbs, Brookfield, Wis.

A: According to executive producer Dick Wolf, Annie Parisse wanted to be available for movie offers, since she'd had to pass up several of them because of her series commitment. "She gave us plenty of time," Wolf says. "She was totally on board with her character dying in the last episode. I think she did a fantastic job, and Sam had his most emotional episode."



Cat Deeley

When the long-running NBC show resumes with new episodes Sept. 22, Waterston's new partner in prosecuting will be played by Alana De La Garza... who will be recognized by "CSI: Miami" fans as Delko's sister, who married Horatio last season but barely survived beyond the wedding. Actually, they might not recognize the actress after all; she has a short and chic new hairstyle.

Q: Due to Johnny Depp's continued success and popularity, will "21 Jump Street" ever be shown on television again? Or better yet, will it be released on DVD? —Susan Stafford, Blackwell, Okla.

A: We don't know of any imminent repeats on television, but each of the five seasons of the show — including the Depp-less final one, which was made for first-run syndication after the series' Fox run ended — is available in a DVD set.

Send questions of general interest via e-mail to tvpipeline@tribune.com. Writers must include their names, cities and states. Personal replies cannot be sent.

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# TV LISTINGS

1 **Martha** (Mon) 1 **The Ellen DeGeneres Show** (Mon) 1 **My Wife and Kids** (Mon) 1 **Live With Regis and Kelly** (Mon) 1 **Divorce Court** (Mon) 1 **The 700 Club** (Mon) 1 **Sesame Street** (Mon) 1 **The Berenstain Bears** (Mon) 1 **Rockford Files** (Mon) 1 **Fraser** (Mon) 1 **The Day the Towers Fall** (Mon) 1 **The Gestapo** (Tue) 1 **The Egyptian Book of the Dead** (Tue) 1 **Breaking Vegas** (Fri) 1 **Cold Pizza** (Fri) 1 **SportsCenter** (Mon, Wed-Fri) 1 **Paid Program** (Mon, Wed-Fri) 1 **Bringing Wall Street to Main Street** (Tue) 1 **The X-Files** (Fri) 1 **ER** (Fri) 1 **Newsroom** (Fri) 1 **Blue's Clues** (Fri) 1 **Biker Build-Off** (Mon) 1 **American Chopper** (Tue-Wed, Fri) 1 **American Hot Rod** (Thu) 1 **Stanley** (Thu) 1 **City Confidential** (Thu) 1 **Movie** (Mon) "A Slight Case of Murder" (Tue) "Suck on You" (Wed) "Connie and Carla" (Thu) "Entertainment" (Fri) "The Last Boy Scout" (Sat) 1 **Living the Life** (Sat) 1 **A Pup Named Scooby-Doo** (Sat) 1 **Fox News Live** (Sat) 1 **Roswell** (Mon) 1 **The Outer Limits** (Tue) 1 **Timecop** (Wed) 1 **Proof Positive: Evidence of the Paranormal** (Thu) 1 **The X-Files** (Fri) 1 **Maximum Exposure** (Fri) 1 **Walker, Texas Ranger** (Fri) 1 **Dharma & Greg** (Fri) 1 **Dogs With Jobs** (Mon-Tue) 1 **MSNBC News Live** (Mon-Tue) 1 **Wind Tunnel With Dave** (Mon-Tue) 1 **Deepa Williams** (Mon-Tue) 1 **7 Days** (Tue) 1 **Build or Bust** (Wed) 1 **Unique Whips** (Thu) 1 **Two Guys Garage** (Fri) 1 **Pheasant Forever** (Mon) 1 **Expedition Safari** (Tue) 1 **Benelli's Dream Hunts** (Wed) 1 **Benelli's American Safari** (Thu) 1 **Hunting Unleashed** (Fri) 1 **The Andy Griffith Show** (Mon) 1 **Green Acres** (Tue) 1 **Leave It to Beaver** (Wed) 1 **The Munsters** (Thu) 1 **The Addams Family** (Fri) 1 **Lustgarten Foundation** (Mon) 1 **Reasons for Hope** (Mon) 1 **Take This House and Sell It** (Tue, Fri) 1 **Movie** (Wed) "A Knight in Camelot" (Thu) 1 **Daddy's Spoiled Little Girl** (Thu) 1 **Movie** (Mon) "At Home With the Webbers" (Tue) "The Blues Brothers" (Wed) "State and Main" (Thu) "Eddie & I" (Fri) 1 **Fresh Mon** (Wed-Fri) 1 **The Berenstain Bears** (Tue-Fri) 1 **The Bernie Mac Show** (Mon) 1 **Divorce Court** (Mon) 1 **Clifford's Puppy Days** (Mon) 1 **Fraser** (Mon) 1 **Die Another Day: Surviving the Andes** (Wed) 1 **SportsCenter** (Tue) 1 **Paid Program** (Tue) 1 **Backyardigans** (Mon-Thurs) 1 **The Wonder Petal** (Fri) 1 **Movie** (Tue) "How to Marry a Millionaire" 1 **Movie** (Mon) "Piglet's Big Movie" 1 **The Koda Brothers** (Tue-Fri) 1 **Step by Step** (Tue) 1 **Peppa Pig** (Tue) 1 **Dharma & Greg** (Tue) 1 **Dogs With Jobs** (Mon-Tue) 1 **The Dog Whisperer** (Wed-Fri) 1 **7 Days** (Tue) 1 **Truck Unleashed** (Fri) 1 **Bill Dance Outdoors** (Mon, Fri) 1 **Green Acres** (Tue) 1 **Leave It to Beaver** (Wed) 1 **The Munsters** (Thu) 1 **The Addams Family** (Fri) 1 **Movie** (Mon) "The Loretta Claiborne Story" 1 **Take This House and Sell It** (Tue) 1 **Daddy's Spoiled Little Girl** (Thu) 1 **John Edward Cross Country** (Fri) 1 **Bringing Home Baby** (Mon) 1 **Clifford's Puppy Days** (Tue) 1 **Shanna's Show** (Tue-Wed, Fri) 1 **Shanna's Kindergarten Countdown** (Wed) 1 **The Wonder Petal** (Fri) 1 **W.I.T.C. 9-11: Stories From the W.I.T.C. 9-11** (Tue) 1 **Polar Bear Battlefield** (Tue) 1 **Pompoil: The Last Day** (Wed) 1 **Deadliest Job in the World** (Thu) 1 **A Haunting** (Fri) 1 **Lilo & Stitch** (Fri) 1 **Becker** (Fri) 1 **Tom & Jerry** (Fri) 1 **Fox Online** (Fri) 1 **Roswell** (Mon) 1 **The Outer Limits** (Tue) 1 **Timecop** (Wed) 1 **Proof Positive: Evidence of the Paranormal** (Thu) 1 **The X-Files** (Fri) 1 **World's Wildest Police Videos** (Fri) 1 **Movie** (Mon) "The Beautiful and the Beast" (Tue) "Good Burger" (Wed) "Duets" (Thu) "The Deer Hunter" (Fri) 1 **Walker, Texas Ranger** (Fri) 1 **Demolition Derby Tech** (Mon) 1 **The Dog Whisperer** (Tue) 1 **Treasures of the Deep** (Wed) 1 **Predators of the Sea** (Thu) 1 **Living Wild** (Fri) 1 **MSNBC News Live** (Mon) 1 **Auto Racing** (Mon, Wed) 1 **Motorcycle Racing** (Tue) 1



## Spotlight

## Cable Conversion Guide

Your TV	Cable Connections	Adelphia	Somerset/ QCOL, Inc.
2	KDKA Pittsburgh (CBS)	KDKA-2 (CBS)	KDKA Pittsburgh (CBS)
3	Local Access Channel	WTAE-4 (ABC)	WTAE Pittsburgh (ABC)
4	WVE Pittsburgh (ABC)	WCWB-22 (WB)	WJAC Johnstown (NBC)
5	WDTV Westport (CBS)	WCWB-6 (NBC)	WJAC Johnstown (NBC)
6	WJAC Johnstown (NBC)	WCWB-6 (NBC)	WJAC Johnstown (NBC)
7	WCWB WB (Warner Bros.)	WGN	WJAC Johnstown (NBC)
8	WHAG Hagerstown (NBC)	WWCP-8 (FOX)	WWCP Johnstown (FOX)
9	Trinity Broadcasting Network	WGPT-36 (PBS)	ABC FAM
10	WPCHS Pittsburgh (FOX)	WPXI-11 (NBC)	WPXI Pittsburgh (NBC)
11	WPXI Pittsburgh (NBC)	WPXI-19 (UPN)	TBS
12	WBOY Clarksville (NBC)	WOED-13 (PBS)	WOED Pittsburgh (PBS)
13	WOED Pittsburgh (NBC)	WOED-13 (PBS)	WOED Pittsburgh (PBS)
14	WPCB40 Greensburg (IND)	WPCB-40 (IND)	WPCB40 Greensburg (IND)
15	Home Shopping Network	WPCB-40 (IND)	WPCB40 Greensburg (IND)
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- Take Home Chef
- Embarrassing Moments (Mon)
- The Flavor of Love (Wed)
- Fabulous Life Of... (Thu)
- Heartbreakers Hall of Shame (Fri)
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- Movie (Fri) "Enemy of the State"
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- Access Hollywood
- DragonflyTV
- AIR: America's Investigative Reports (Mon)
- Moosha (Mon-Tue, Thu-Fri)
- Still Standing
- Around the Horn (Thu)
- Pardon the Interruption (Tue-Wed)
- The Sports List (Tue)
- Drake & Josh
- Movie (Mon) "The Birdcage"
- Movie (Wed) "The Sting"
- Cash Cab
- The Replacements (Mon)
- Life With Derek (Tue)
- PH of the Future (Wed)
- Sister, Sister (Thu)
- That's So Raven (Fri)
- Home Improvement
- Yu-Gi-Oh! GX
- King of the Hill (Tue)
- Married... With Children (Thu-Fri)
- Racing Across America (Thu)
- 7 Days (Fri)
- Motorcycle Racing (Mon)
- Strongman (Tue)
- Expedition Safari (Fri)
- The Andy Griffith Show
- Daddy's Spoiled Little Girl (Tue)
- Comedy Central Presents
- Seinfeld
- Codename: Kids Next Door (Mon-Thru)
- Camp Lazlo (Fri)
- King of the Hill (Mon, Wed-Fri)
- That '70s Show (Tue)
- Monster Jam (Mon-Wed)
- Darts (Mon)
- Babe Winkelman's Outdoor Series
- Good Times
- Dharma & Greg
- Hogan Knows Best (Wed)

## SATURDAY MORNING

## SEPTEMBER 9, 2006

	6 AM	6:30	7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30	12 PM
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## SATURDAY AFTERNOON

## SEPTEMBER 9, 2006

	12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30	6 PM	6:30
CBS	(12:00) U.S. Open Tennis: Men's Semifinals. From Flushing Meadows, N.Y. (In Stereo) Live										(2NBA) 5(NBA)Championship 5 Weeks 1st Edition	CBS Evening News (In Stereo)	
WTAE	Ebert & Roeper (In Stereo) (9)(11)Jody (10)College Football: Va. Tech at N.C. (12)Apex	Texas, Live the Dream: "Anthem" March to the Championship (10)(11)Adrienne (12)VeggieTales (E) (12)Apex	Liberty Mutual Coach of the Year Spotlight (N) (E)	College Football Countdown	College Football: Regional Coverage - Clemson at Boston College, Iowa at Syracuse or Washington at Oklahoma. (Live)							Post Game Report (Live)	
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WB	Liberty's Kicks (E)	Primary Focus (E)	Exploration Focus (E)	Smallville: Zero (In Stereo) (E)	** "The Neighbor" (1983) Rod Steiger. A crazed doctor menaces a pregnant woman and her husband.	My Wife and Kids (E)	The Bernie Mac Show (In Stereo) (E)	HomeTeam Milwaukee (In Stereo) (E)					
FOX	Pad	Pad	Pad	Pad	Pad	Pad	Pad	Pad	Pad	Pad	Pad	Pad	Pad
PBS	Capitol-Join	Cooking Class (E)	Victory Garden (E)	American Shop (E)	American Shop (E)	American Shop (E)	American Shop (E)	American Shop (E)	American Shop (E)	American Shop (E)	American Shop (E)	American Shop (E)	American Shop (E)
PBS	Tim Janis: Coastal	Moments to Remember: 1950s and early 60s. (In Stereo) (E)	Moosha (In Stereo) (E)	Moosha (In Stereo) (E)	** "Rage to Space" (2002) Drama. James Woods. Scientists try to launch the first manned space-flight.	Farfarcake "Thank God It's Friday Again" (In Stereo) (E)	HomeTeam Milwaukee (In Stereo) (E)	White Sox Warmup (E)					
WGN	Home Improvs.	The Cosby Show (E)	Moosha (In Stereo) (E)	Moosha (In Stereo) (E)	** "No Higher Laws" (1999) Kaley Sagal. A dying woman chooses a replacement to care for her family.	"Open House" (2003) Christine Loh. A newly separated wife takes in boarders to make ends meet.	Nature's Fury: New England's Killer Hurricane Hurricane. (E)						
MST	Modern Men	American Eats (E)	American Eats (E)	American Eats (E)	American Eats (E)	American Eats (E)	American Eats (E)	American Eats (E)	American Eats (E)	American Eats (E)	American Eats (E)	American Eats (E)	American Eats (E)
ESPN2	(12:00) College Football: Illinois at Rutgers. (Live)												
ESPN	(12:00) College Football: Virginia Tech at North Carolina. (Live)												
FSP	In Focus on FSN	College Football: Duquesne at Robert Morris. (Live)											
TNT	Movie: *** "I'm a Criminal" (1999) (E)	*** "What Lies Beneath" (2000, Suspense) Harrison Ford. A housewife is swept up in a spirit's supernatural reality.	*** "The Fugitive" (1983, Suspense) Harrison Ford, Tommy Lee Jones. Sale Ward. An innocent man must evade the law as he pursues a killer.	*** "The Fugitive" (1983, Suspense) Harrison Ford, Tommy Lee Jones. Sale Ward. An innocent man must evade the law as he pursues a killer.	*** "The Fugitive" (1983, Suspense) Harrison Ford, Tommy Lee Jones. Sale Ward. An innocent man must evade the law as he pursues a killer.	*** "The Fugitive" (1983, Suspense) Harrison Ford, Tommy Lee Jones. Sale Ward. An innocent man must evade the law as he pursues a killer.	*** "The Fugitive" (1983, Suspense) Harrison Ford, Tommy Lee Jones. Sale Ward. An innocent man must evade the law as he pursues a killer.	*** "The Fugitive" (1983, Suspense) Harrison Ford, Tommy Lee Jones. Sale Ward. An innocent man must evade the law as he pursues a killer.	*** "The Fugitive" (1983, Suspense) Harrison Ford, Tommy Lee Jones. Sale Ward. An innocent man must evade the law as he pursues a killer.	*** "The Fugitive" (1983, Suspense) Harrison Ford, Tommy Lee Jones. Sale Ward. An innocent man must evade the law as he pursues a killer.	*** "The Fugitive" (1983, Suspense) Harrison Ford, Tommy Lee Jones. Sale Ward. An innocent man must evade the law as he pursues a killer.	*** "The Fugitive" (1983, Suspense) Harrison Ford, Tommy Lee Jones. Sale Ward. An innocent man must evade the law as he pursues a killer.	*** "The Fugitive" (1983, Suspense) Harrison Ford, Tommy Lee Jones. Sale Ward. An innocent man must evade the law as he pursues a killer.
CNN	CNN Live Saturday (E)	In the Money (E)	CNN Live Saturday (E)	CNN Live Saturday (E)	CNN Live Saturday (E)	CNN Live Saturday (E)	CNN Live Saturday (E)	CNN Live Saturday (E)	CNN Live Saturday (E)	CNN Live Saturday (E)	CNN Live Saturday (E)	CNN Live Saturday (E)	CNN Live Saturday (E)
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FNC	(12:00) Weekend Live	Fox News Live (E)	Fox News Live (E)	Fox News Live (E)	Fox News Live (E)	Fox News Live (E)	Fox News Live (E)	Fox News Live (E)	Fox News Live (E)	Fox News Live (E)	Fox News Live (E)	Fox News Live (E)	Fox News Live (E)
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**SEPTEMBER 10, 2006**

## SUNDAY AFTERNOON

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**SEPTEMBER 10, 2006****MONDAY EVENING**SEPTEMBER 11, 2006 |



## TUESDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 12, 2006

	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30	12 AM	12:30	1 AM	
CBS	(2) Evening News (N) (Graham)	(2) The Insider (N) (Stereo)	Big Brother: All Stars (Season Finale) (N) (Stereo Live)	Rock Star: Supernova (N) (In Stereo)			NCIS: Hawaii (N) CBS offers a temporary memory lapse as he recovers from his injuries (N) (Stereo) (Part 2 of 2)		(2) News (N) (Stereo)	Late Show With David Letterman (N) (Stereo)	Late Show With David Letterman (N) (Stereo)	The Late Late Show With Craig T. Nelson (N) (Stereo)		
WTAE	Inside Eddies (N)	Enlightenment Tonight (N)	Dancing With the Stars (Season Premiere) (N) (Stereo)	Season Premiere (N) (Stereo)	Season Premiere (N) (Stereo)	Season Premiere (N) (Stereo)	Season Premiere (N) (Stereo)	Season Premiere (N) (Stereo)	Ch. 4 Action News at 11	Nightline (N)	Jimmy Kimmel Live (N) (Stereo)	Build Week		
NBC	(2) Entertainment Tonight (N) (Stereo)	(2) Wheel of Fortune (N) (Stereo)	Wheel of Fortune (N) (Stereo)	Wheel of Fortune (N) (Stereo)	Wheel of Fortune (N) (Stereo)	Wheel of Fortune (N) (Stereo)	Wheel of Fortune (N) (Stereo)	Wheel of Fortune (N) (Stereo)	(N) (Stereo)	(N) (Stereo)	(N) (Stereo)	(N) (Stereo)	(N) (Stereo)	
WB	Friends (N) (Stereo)	Friends (N) (Stereo)	Desire: Gernere's thugs get closer to Louie (N) (Stereo)	Fashion House (N) (Stereo)	The Great Benvenuti Show (N) (Stereo)	The Great Benvenuti Show (N) (Stereo)	The Great Benvenuti Show (N) (Stereo)	The Great Benvenuti Show (N) (Stereo)	Sex and the City (N) (Stereo)	Sex and the City (N) (Stereo)	Paid Program	Paid Program	Gilmore Girls (N) (Stereo)	
FOX	Seinfeld (N) (Stereo)	Seinfeld (N) (Stereo)	House "Cane & Able" Possible alien abduction (N) (Stereo)	Stonewall "Circling" (N) (Stereo) (PA)	Channel 11 News on Fox 53 at 10	Channel 11 News on Fox 53 at 10	Channel 11 News on Fox 53 at 10	Channel 11 News on Fox 53 at 10	Seinfeld: The Beard	Paid Program	Will & Grace (N) (Stereo)	Paid Program	Paid Program	
PBS	Business Rpt.	Business Rpt.	News "Storm that Drowned a City" (N) (Stereo)	Evening "Democracy in the Rough" (N) (Stereo)	P.O.V. "The Boys of Banks" Four boys enter the strict Banks School in Kenya. (N) (Stereo)	P.O.V. "The Boys of Banks" Four boys enter the strict Banks School in Kenya. (N) (Stereo)	P.O.V. "The Boys of Banks" Four boys enter the strict Banks School in Kenya. (N) (Stereo)	P.O.V. "The Boys of Banks" Four boys enter the strict Banks School in Kenya. (N) (Stereo)	Trans-Orlando	Trans-Orlando	Cherrie Rose (N) (Stereo)	Antiques Roadshow	Antiques Roadshow	
PBS	Business Rpt.	Business Rpt.	Yanni Live! The Concert at the Mandalay Bay Resort & Casino in Las Vegas. (N) (Stereo)	Event Yanni in concert at the Mandalay Bay Resort & Casino in Las Vegas. (N) (Stereo)	WGN News at Nine (N) (Stereo)	WGN News at Nine (N) (Stereo)	WGN News at Nine (N) (Stereo)	WGN News at Nine (N) (Stereo)	Sex and the City (N) (Stereo)	Sex and the City (N) (Stereo)	Becker (N) (Stereo)	America's Funniest Home Videos (N) (Stereo)	Da Vinci's Inquest (N) (Stereo)	
WGN	Home Videos	Home Videos	*** "An Officer and a Gentleman" 1982. Daniel Craig. (N) (Stereo)	A hardened loner enlists in the Naval Aviation Corps. (N) (Stereo)	*** "Tempted" (2001, Suspense) Burt Reynolds. A dying woman decides to test his wife's fidelity. (N) (Stereo)	*** "Tempted" (2001, Suspense) Burt Reynolds. A dying woman decides to test his wife's fidelity. (N) (Stereo)	*** "Tempted" (2001, Suspense) Burt Reynolds. A dying woman decides to test his wife's fidelity. (N) (Stereo)	*** "Tempted" (2001, Suspense) Burt Reynolds. A dying woman decides to test his wife's fidelity. (N) (Stereo)	Will & Grace (N) (Stereo)	Will & Grace (N) (Stereo)	Will & Grace (N) (Stereo)	Will & Grace (N) (Stereo)	Will & Grace (N) (Stereo)	
LIFE	"Crisis! Uncertainty" (2005) Linda Putt. A man becomes the prime suspect in his ex-wife's murder. (N) (Stereo)	"Crisis! Uncertainty" (2005) Linda Putt. A man becomes the prime suspect in his ex-wife's murder. (N) (Stereo)	"Crisis! Uncertainty" (2005) Linda Putt. A man becomes the prime suspect in his ex-wife's murder. (N) (Stereo)	"Crisis! Uncertainty" (2005) Linda Putt. A man becomes the prime suspect in his ex-wife's murder. (N) (Stereo)	"Crisis! Uncertainty" (2005) Linda Putt. A man becomes the prime suspect in his ex-wife's murder. (N) (Stereo)	"Crisis! Uncertainty" (2005) Linda Putt. A man becomes the prime suspect in his ex-wife's murder. (N) (Stereo)	"Crisis! Uncertainty" (2005) Linda Putt. A man becomes the prime suspect in his ex-wife's murder. (N) (Stereo)	"Crisis! Uncertainty" (2005) Linda Putt. A man becomes the prime suspect in his ex-wife's murder. (N) (Stereo)	"Crisis! Uncertainty" (2005) Linda Putt. A man becomes the prime suspect in his ex-wife's murder. (N) (Stereo)	"Crisis! Uncertainty" (2005) Linda Putt. A man becomes the prime suspect in his ex-wife's murder. (N) (Stereo)	"Crisis! Uncertainty" (2005) Linda Putt. A man becomes the prime suspect in his ex-wife's murder. (N) (Stereo)	"Crisis! Uncertainty" (2005) Linda Putt. A man becomes the prime suspect in his ex-wife's murder. (N) (Stereo)	"Crisis! Uncertainty" (2005) Linda Putt. A man becomes the prime suspect in his ex-wife's murder. (N) (Stereo)	
HSTV	Modern Marvels: The development of plumbing. (N) (Stereo)	Modern Marvels: The development of plumbing. (N) (Stereo)	Rogue Waves (N) (Stereo)	Rogue Waves (N) (Stereo)	Rogue Waves (N) (Stereo)	Rogue Waves (N) (Stereo)	Rogue Waves (N) (Stereo)	Rogue Waves (N) (Stereo)	Rogue Waves (N) (Stereo)	Rogue Waves (N) (Stereo)	Rogue Waves (N) (Stereo)	Rogue Waves (N) (Stereo)	Rogue Waves (N) (Stereo)	
ESPN2	Interpunks: Funk Flex	Interpunks: Funk Flex	Streetball (N) (Stereo)	Streetball (N) (Stereo)	Streetball (N) (Stereo)	Streetball (N) (Stereo)	Streetball (N) (Stereo)	Streetball (N) (Stereo)	Streetball (N) (Stereo)	Streetball (N) (Stereo)	Streetball (N) (Stereo)	Streetball (N) (Stereo)	Streetball (N) (Stereo)	
ESPN	Hey Rookie, Welcome to the NFL (N) (Stereo)	Hey Rookie, Welcome to the NFL (N) (Stereo)	2008 World Series of Poker From Las Vegas. (N) (Stereo)	2008 World Series of Poker From Las Vegas. (N) (Stereo)	2008 World Series of Poker From Las Vegas. (N) (Stereo)	2008 World Series of Poker From Las Vegas. (N) (Stereo)	2008 World Series of Poker From Las Vegas. (N) (Stereo)	2008 World Series of Poker From Las Vegas. (N) (Stereo)	2008 World Series of Poker From Las Vegas. (N) (Stereo)	2008 World Series of Poker From Las Vegas. (N) (Stereo)	2008 World Series of Poker From Las Vegas. (N) (Stereo)	2008 World Series of Poker From Las Vegas. (N) (Stereo)	2008 World Series of Poker From Las Vegas. (N) (Stereo)	
FSP	Streetball: Pittsburgh Pirates. PHC Park. (Live)	Streetball: Pittsburgh Pirates. PHC Park. (Live)	Streetball: Pittsburgh Pirates. PHC Park. (Live)	Streetball: Pittsburgh Pirates. PHC Park. (Live)	Streetball: Pittsburgh Pirates. PHC Park. (Live)	Streetball: Pittsburgh Pirates. PHC Park. (Live)	Streetball: Pittsburgh Pirates. PHC Park. (Live)	Streetball: Pittsburgh Pirates. PHC Park. (Live)	Streetball: Pittsburgh Pirates. PHC Park. (Live)	Streetball: Pittsburgh Pirates. PHC Park. (Live)	Streetball: Pittsburgh Pirates. PHC Park. (Live)	Streetball: Pittsburgh Pirates. PHC Park. (Live)	Streetball: Pittsburgh Pirates. PHC Park. (Live)	
TNT	Without a Trace "Melrose Place" (N) (Stereo)	Without a Trace "Melrose Place" (N) (Stereo)	Law & Order: Formerly "Law" (N) (Stereo)	Law & Order: Formerly "Law" (N) (Stereo)	Law & Order: Formerly "Law" (N) (Stereo)	Law & Order: Formerly "Law" (N) (Stereo)	Law & Order: Formerly "Law" (N) (Stereo)	Law & Order: Formerly "Law" (N) (Stereo)	Law & Order: Formerly "Law" (N) (Stereo)	Law & Order: Formerly "Law" (N) (Stereo)	Law & Order: Formerly "Law" (N) (Stereo)	Law & Order: Formerly "Law" (N) (Stereo)	Law & Order: Formerly "Law" (N) (Stereo)	
CNN	The Situation Room	The Situation Room	Paula Abdul Now (N) (Stereo)	Paula Abdul Now (N) (Stereo)	Paula Abdul Now (N) (Stereo)	Paula Abdul Now (N) (Stereo)	Paula Abdul Now (N) (Stereo)	Paula Abdul Now (N) (Stereo)	Paula Abdul Now (N) (Stereo)	Paula Abdul Now (N) (Stereo)	Paula Abdul Now (N) (Stereo)	Paula Abdul Now (N) (Stereo)	Paula Abdul Now (N) (Stereo)	
MCK	OddPar: Jenny Neutron	OddPar: Jenny Neutron	SpongeBob: Danny Phantom (N) (Stereo)	SpongeBob: Danny Phantom (N) (Stereo)	SpongeBob: Danny Phantom (N) (Stereo)	SpongeBob: Danny Phantom (N) (Stereo)	SpongeBob: Danny Phantom (N) (Stereo)	SpongeBob: Danny Phantom (N) (Stereo)	SpongeBob: Danny Phantom (N) (Stereo)	SpongeBob: Danny Phantom (N) (Stereo)	SpongeBob: Danny Phantom (N) (Stereo)	SpongeBob: Danny Phantom (N) (Stereo)	SpongeBob: Danny Phantom (N) (Stereo)	
AMC	Movie: "The Untouchables" (1994) Con'd	Movie: "The Untouchables" (1994) Con'd	Extreme Engineering "Biggest Warp" (N) (Stereo)	Extreme Engineering "Biggest Warp"	Extreme Engineering "Biggest Warp" (N) (Stereo)	Extreme Engineering "Biggest Warp"	Extreme Engineering "Biggest Warp" (N) (Stereo)	Extreme Engineering "Biggest Warp"	Extreme Engineering "Biggest Warp" (N) (Stereo)	Extreme Engineering "Biggest Warp"	Extreme Engineering "Biggest Warp" (N) (Stereo)	Extreme Engineering "Biggest Warp"	Extreme Engineering "Biggest Warp" (N) (Stereo)	
TDC	Phil of the Raven (N) (Stereo)	Phil of the Raven (N) (Stereo)	CS: Miami "Simple Man" (N) (Stereo)	CS: Miami "Simple Man" (N) (Stereo)	CS: Miami "Simple Man" (N) (Stereo)	CS: Miami "Simple Man" (N) (Stereo)	CS: Miami "Simple Man" (N) (Stereo)	CS: Miami "Simple Man" (N) (Stereo)	CS: Miami "Simple Man" (N) (Stereo)	CS: Miami "Simple Man" (N) (Stereo)	CS: Miami "Simple Man" (N) (Stereo)	CS: Miami "Simple Man" (N) (Stereo)	CS: Miami "Simple Man" (N) (Stereo)	
DSN	Phil of the Raven (N) (Stereo)	Phil of the Raven (N) (Stereo)	CS: Miami "Simple Man" (N) (Stereo)	CS: Miami "Simple Man" (N) (Stereo)	CS: Miami "Simple Man" (N) (Stereo)	CS: Miami "Simple Man" (N) (Stereo)	CS: Miami "Simple Man" (N) (Stereo)	CS: Miami "Simple Man" (N) (Stereo)	CS: Miami "Simple Man" (N) (Stereo)	CS: Miami "Simple Man" (N) (Stereo)	CS: Miami "Simple Man" (N) (Stereo)	CS: Miami "Simple Man" (N) (Stereo)	CS: Miami "Simple Man" (N) (Stereo)	
AE	Creeping Raven "Pilot" (N) (Stereo)	Creeping Raven "Pilot" (N) (Stereo)	CS: Miami "Simple Man" (N) (Stereo)	CS: Miami "Simple Man" (N) (Stereo)	CS: Miami "Simple Man" (N) (Stereo)	CS: Miami "Simple Man" (N) (Stereo)	CS: Miami "Simple Man" (N) (Stereo)	CS: Miami "Simple Man" (N) (Stereo)	CS: Miami "Simple Man" (N) (Stereo)	CS: Miami "Simple Man" (N) (Stereo)	CS: Miami "Simple Man" (N) (Stereo)	CS: Miami "Simple Man" (N) (Stereo)	CS: Miami "Simple Man" (N) (Stereo)	
TBS	Everybody, Everybody: Raymond	Everybody, Everybody: Raymond	Friends (N) (Stereo)	Friends (N) (Stereo)	Friends (N) (Stereo)	Friends (N) (Stereo)	Friends (N) (Stereo)	Friends (N) (Stereo)	Friends (N) (Stereo)	Friends (N) (Stereo)	Friends (N) (Stereo)	Friends (N) (Stereo)	Friends (N) (Stereo)	
FAM	7th Heaven "There's No Place Like I" (N) (Stereo)	7th Heaven "There's No Place Like I" (N) (Stereo)	*** "Blossom-Dee" (2002, Comedy) Scooby and the gang hunt apocrypha at a haunted resort. (N) (Stereo)	*** "Blossom-Dee" (2002, Comedy) Scooby and the gang hunt apocrypha at a haunted resort. (N) (Stereo)	*** "Blossom-Dee" (2002, Comedy) Scooby and the gang hunt apocrypha at a haunted resort. (N) (Stereo)	*** "Blossom-Dee" (2002, Comedy) Scooby and the gang hunt apocrypha at a haunted resort. (N) (Stereo)	*** "Blossom-Dee" (2002, Comedy) Scooby and the gang hunt apocrypha at a haunted resort. (N) (Stereo)	*** "Blossom-Dee" (2002, Comedy) Scooby and the gang hunt apocrypha at a haunted resort. (N) (Stereo)	*** "Blossom-Dee" (2002, Comedy) Scooby and the gang hunt apocrypha at a haunted resort. (N) (Stereo)	*** "Blossom-Dee" (2002, Comedy) Scooby and the gang hunt apocrypha at a haunted resort. (N) (Stereo)	*** "Blossom-Dee" (2002, Comedy) Scooby and the gang hunt apocrypha at a haunted resort. (N) (Stereo)	*** "Blossom-Dee" (2002, Comedy) Scooby and the gang hunt apocrypha at a haunted resort. (N) (Stereo)	*** "Blossom-Dee" (2002, Comedy) Scooby and the gang hunt apocrypha at a haunted resort. (N) (Stereo)	
TOON	Squirrel Foater's	Squirrel Foater's	Grim & Edd, Edd n Edd	Grim & Edd, Edd n Edd	Grim & Edd, Edd n Edd	Grim & Edd, Edd n Edd	Grim & Edd, Edd n Edd	Grim & Edd, Edd n Edd	Grim & Edd, Edd n Edd	Grim & Edd, Edd n Edd	Grim & Edd, Edd n Edd	Grim & Edd, Edd n Edd	Grim & Edd, Edd n Edd	
FNC	The Fox Report With Shaped Smith (Live)	The Fox Report With Shaped Smith (Live)	The O'Reilly Factor (Live)	The O'Reilly Factor (Live)	The O'Reilly Factor (Live)	The O'Reilly Factor (Live)	The O'Reilly Factor (Live)	The O'Reilly Factor (Live)	The O'Reilly Factor (Live)	The O'Reilly Factor (Live)	The O'Reilly Factor (Live)	The O'Reilly Factor (Live)	The O'Reilly Factor (Live)	
SCFI	Dead Like Me George's old house is for sale. (N) (Stereo)	Dead Like Me George's old house is for sale. (N) (Stereo)	Dead Like Me George's old house is for sale. (N) (Stereo)	Dead Like Me George's old house is for sale. (N) (Stereo)	Dead Like Me George's old house is for sale. (N) (Stereo)	Dead Like Me George's old house is for sale. (N) (Stereo)	Dead Like Me George's old house is for sale. (N) (Stereo)	Dead Like Me George's old house is for sale. (N) (Stereo)	Dead Like Me George's old house is for sale. (N) (Stereo)	Dead Like Me George's old house is for sale. (N) (Stereo)	Dead Like Me George's old house is for sale. (N) (Stereo)	Dead Like Me George's old house is for sale. (N) (Stereo)	Dead Like Me George's old house is for sale. (N) (Stereo)	
SPKE	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (N) (Stereo)	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (N) (Stereo)	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (N) (Stereo)	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (N) (Stereo)	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (N) (Stereo)	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (N) (Stereo)	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (N) (Stereo)	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (N) (Stereo)	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (N) (Stereo)	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (N) (Stereo)	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (N) (Stereo)	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (N) (Stereo)	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (N) (Stereo)	
USA	Law & Order: Criminal Intent (N) (Stereo)	Law & Order: Criminal Intent (N) (Stereo)	Law & Order: Criminal Intent (N) (Stereo)	Law & Order: Criminal Intent (N) (Stereo)	Law & Order: Criminal Intent (N) (Stereo)	Law & Order: Criminal Intent (N) (Stereo)	Law & Order: Criminal Intent (N) (Stereo)	Law & Order: Criminal Intent (N) (Stereo)	Law & Order: Criminal Intent (N) (Stereo)	Law & Order: Criminal Intent (N) (Stereo)	Law & Order: Criminal Intent (N) (Stereo)	Law & Order: Criminal Intent (N) (Stereo)	Law & Order: Criminal Intent (N) (Stereo)	
FX	*** "A Very Prime Suspect" (1999, Drama) Al Pacino. Quaid. Former. A local cop catches a criminal on the loose. (N) (Stereo)	*** "A Very Prime Suspect" (1999, Drama) Al Pacino. Quaid. Former. A local cop catches a criminal on the loose. (N) (Stereo)	*** "A Very Prime Suspect" (1999, Drama) Al Pacino. Quaid. Former. A local cop catches a criminal on the loose. (N) (Stereo)	*** "A Very Prime Suspect" (1999, Drama) Al Pacino. Quaid. Former. A local cop catches a criminal on the loose. (N) (Stereo)	*** "A Very Prime Suspect" (1999, Drama) Al Pacino. Quaid. Former. A local cop catches a criminal on the loose. (N) (Stereo)	*** "A Very Prime Suspect" (1999, Drama) Al Pacino. Quaid. Former. A local cop catches a criminal on the loose. (N) (Stereo)	*** "A Very Prime Suspect" (1999, Drama) Al Pacino. Quaid. Former. A local cop catches a criminal on the loose. (N) (Stereo)	*** "A Very Prime Suspect" (1999, Drama) Al Pacino. Quaid. Former. A local cop catches a criminal on the loose. (N) (Stereo)	*** "A Very Prime Suspect" (1999, Drama) Al Pacino. Quaid. Former. A local cop catches a criminal on the loose. (N) (Stereo)	*** "A Very Prime Suspect" (1999, Drama) Al Pacino. Quaid. Former. A local cop catches a criminal on the loose. (N) (Stereo)	*** "A Very Prime Suspect" (1999, Drama) Al Pacino. Quaid. Former. A local cop catches a criminal on the loose. (N) (Stereo)	*** "A Very Prime Suspect" (1999, Drama) Al Pacino. Quaid. Former. A local cop catches a criminal on the loose. (N) (Stereo)	*** "A Very Prime Suspect" (1999, Drama) Al Pacino. Quaid. Former. A local cop catches a criminal on the loose. (N) (Stereo)	*** "A Very Prime Suspect" (1999, Drama) Al Pacino. Quaid. Former. A local cop catches a criminal on the loose. (N) (Stereo)
NGEO	Megastructures: Mega	Megastructures: Mega	Impact on the Rails	Impact on the Rails	Impact on the Rails	Impact on the Rails	Impact on the Rails	Impact on the Rails	Impact on the Rails	Impact on the Rails	Impact on the Rails	Impact on the Rails	Impact on the Rails	
NBC	Hardball	Hardball	Countdown With Keith Olbermann	Countdown With Keith Olbermann	Countdown With Keith Olbermann	Countdown With Keith Olbermann	Countdown With Keith Olbermann	Countdown With Keith Olbermann	Countdown With Keith Olbermann	Countdown With Keith Olbermann	Countdown With Keith Olbermann	Countdown With Keith Olbermann	Countdown With Keith Olbermann	
SPEED	Monster Jam	Monster Jam	American Thunder	American Thunder	American Thunder	American Thunder	American Thunder	American Thunder	American Thunder	American Thunder	American Thunder	American Thunder	American Thunder	
OUTDR	Survivor: Palau "Sumo at Sea" (N) (Stereo)	Survivor: Palau "Sumo at Sea" (N) (Stereo)	Survivor: Palau "Sumo at Sea" (N) (Stereo)	Survivor: Palau "Sumo at Sea" (N) (Stereo)	Survivor: Palau "Sumo at Sea" (N) (Stereo)	Survivor: Palau "Sumo at Sea" (N) (Stereo)	Survivor: Palau "Sumo at Sea" (N) (Stereo)	Survivor: Palau "Sumo at Sea" (N) (Stereo)	Survivor: Palau "Sumo at Sea" (N) (Stereo)	Survivor: Palau "Sumo at Sea" (N) (Stereo)	Survivor: Palau "Sumo at Sea" (N) (Stereo)	Survivor: Palau "Sumo at Sea" (N) (Stereo)	Survivor: Palau "Sumo at Sea" (N) (Stereo)	
TVL	The Jeffersons	The Jeffersons	Little House on the Prairie: The In-Laws (N) (Stereo)	Little House on the Prairie: The In-Laws (N) (Stereo)	Little House on the Prairie: The In-Laws (N) (Stereo)	Little House on the Prairie: The In-Laws (N) (Stereo)	Little House on the Prairie: The In-Laws (N) (Stereo)	Little House on the Prairie: The In-Laws (N) (Stereo)	Little House on the Prairie: The In-Laws (N) (Stereo)	Little House on the Prairie: The In-Laws (N) (Stereo)	Little House on the Prairie: The In-Laws (N) (Stereo)	Little House on the Prairie: The In-Laws (N) (Stereo)	Little House on the Prairie: The In-Laws (N) (Stereo)	
WE	Dharma & Greg	Dharma & Greg	*** "Dharma & Greg" (1998) Bill Murray. A man's carefully planned bank heist goes haywire. (N) (Stereo)	*** "Dharma & Greg" (1998) Bill Murray. A man's carefully planned bank heist goes haywire. (N) (Stereo)	*** "Dharma & Greg" (1998) Bill Murray. A man's carefully planned bank heist goes haywire. (N) (Stereo)	*** "Dharma & Greg" (1998) Bill Murray. A man's carefully planned bank heist goes haywire. (N) (Stereo)	*** "Dharma & Greg" (1998) Bill Murray. A man's carefully planned bank heist goes haywire. (N) (Stereo)	*** "Dharma & Greg" (1998) Bill Murray. A man's carefully planned bank heist goes haywire. (N) (Stereo)	*** "Dharma & Greg" (1998) Bill Murray. A man's carefully planned bank heist goes haywire. (N) (Stereo)	*** "Dharma & Greg" (1998) Bill Murray. A man's carefully planned bank heist goes haywire. (N) (Stereo)	*** "Dharma & Greg" (1998) Bill Murray. A man's carefully planned bank heist goes haywire. (N) (Stereo)	*** "Dharma & Greg" (1998) Bill Murray. A man's carefully planned bank heist goes haywire. (N) (Stereo)	*** "Dharma & Greg" (1998) Bill Murray. A man's carefully planned bank heist goes haywire. (N) (Stereo)	
COM	*** "The Colbert Report" (2005) Comedy Central	*** "The Colbert Report" (2005) Comedy Central	Daily Show: The Colbert Report (N) (Stereo)	Daily Show: The Colbert Report (N) (Stereo)	Daily Show: The Colbert Report (N) (Stereo)	Daily Show: The Colbert Report (N) (Stereo)	Daily Show: The Colbert Report (N) (Stereo)	Daily Show: The Colbert Report (N) (Stereo)	Daily Show: The Colbert Report (N) (Stereo)	Daily Show: The Colbert Report (N) (Stereo)	Daily Show: The Colbert Report (N) (Stereo)	Daily Show: The Colbert Report (N) (Stereo)	Daily Show: The Colbert Report (N) (Stereo)	
TLC	Overhaulin' Firing up a 1964 Chevy (N) (Stereo)	Overhaulin' Firing up a 1964 Chevy (N) (Stereo)	Rides "Bad Check" (N) (Stereo)	Rides "Bad Check" (N) (Stereo)	Rides "Bad Check" (N) (Stereo)	Rides "Bad Check" (N) (Stereo)	Rides "Bad Check" (N) (Stereo)	Rides "Bad Check" (N) (Stereo)	Rides "Bad Check" (N) (Stereo)	Rides "Bad Check" (N) (Stereo)	Rides "Bad Check" (N) (Stereo)	Rides "Bad Check" (N) (Stereo)	Rides "Bad Check" (N) (Stereo)	
W-I	The Flavor of Love (N) (Stereo)	The Flavor of Love (N) (Stereo)	The Flavor of Love: Jody on the Floor (N) (Stereo)	The Flavor of Love: Jody on the Floor (N) (Stereo)	The Flavor of Love: Jody on the Floor (N) (Stereo)	The Flavor of Love: Jody on the Floor (N) (Stereo)	The Flavor of Love: Jody on the Floor (N) (Stereo)	The Flavor of Love: Jody on the Floor (N) (Stereo)	The Flavor of Love: Jody on the Floor (N) (Stereo)	The Flavor of Love: Jody on the Floor (N) (Stereo)	The Flavor of Love: Jody on the Floor (N) (Stereo)	The Flavor of Love: Jody on the Floor (N) (Stereo)	The Flavor of Love: Jody on the Floor (N) (Stereo)	

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## FRIDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 15, 2006

	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30	12 AM	12:30	1 AM
CBS	24/24 Evening News (N) (Stereo) 5	The Insider (N) (Stereo) 5	Ghost Whisperer: The One Meinda meets an evil spirit while helping plane-crash victims. (Stereo) (Part 2 of 2) 5		Close to Home: "Hot Girl" Annabeth prosecutes letters for the murder of a man they say was a sexual predator. (Stereo) 5		NUMB3RS: "Hot Shot" (TV) The FBI investigates a rapist-turned-serial- killer. (Stereo) 5		5/News 5	Late Show With David Letterman: Joel Sussler, Knoxville. Rachel Ray, (N) (Stereo) 5		The Late Late Show With Craig Ferguson Mandy Patinkin; French Kiss: (N) (Stereo) 5	
WTAZ	Inside Edition 5	Entertainment Tonight 5	Men In Trees "Pilot" (N Stereo) 5		Men In Trees "Power Shift" (N) (Stereo) 5		20/20 5		Ch. 4 Action News at 11 5	Nightline 5	Jimmy Kimmel Live! Comed Saraf Silverman, Lionel Richie performs. Paid Program 5		Paid Program 5
NBC	6/11/12 Entertainment Tonight (N) (Stereo) 5 6/11/12 Wheel of Fortune (N) (Stereo) 5	6/11/12 Jeopardy! (N) (Stereo) 5	Dateline NBC (N Stereo) 5		Las Vegas "Father of the Bride" E's CIA past puts him in grave danger. (N Stereo) 5		Law & Order: "Hindsight" A murder victim is found in Falcio's bathroom. (Stereo) 5		6/11/12 News (N) (Stereo) 5	The Tonight Show With Jay Leno: Howard Mandel; Clay Aiken. (N) (Stereo) 5		O'Brien With Conan O'Brien: Matthew Perry; "Knot, the Rapture." (N) (Stereo) 5	
NB	Friends (N Stereo) 5	Friends (N Stereo) 5	Desire (N) (N Stereo) 5		Fashion House Difficult sacrifices. (N Stereo) 5		The Greg Behrardt Show (N Stereo) 5		Sex and the City 5	Sex and the City 5	Paid Program 5	Paid Program 5	What I Like About You 5
OX	The Simpsons 5	The Simpsons 5	Nanny 911 "Schmitzky Family" (N Stereo) 5		Celebrity Duets Six become five. (N Stereo) 5		Channel 11 News on FOX 53 at 10 5		Seinfeld (N Stereo) 5	Paid Program 5	Paid Program 5	Paid Program 5	
BS	Business News 5	Business News 5	Washington Now (N) (N Stereo) 5		Black America's Horizons (Stereo) 5		AIR: America's Champions on Wheels (Stereo) 5		Tavis Smiley 5	Teens OnQ (N Stereo) 5	Charlie Rose (N) (N Stereo) 5		Legacy- Concert 5
WGN	America's Funniest Home Videos (N Stereo) 5	America's Funniest Home Videos (N Stereo) 5	World's Most Shocking Moments (N Stereo) 5		Shocking Behavior: Caught on Tape 2 (N Stereo) 5		WGN News at Nine (N Stereo) 5		Clarke and the City 5	Clarke and the City 5	America's Funniest Home Videos (N Stereo) 5		Da Vinci's Inquest 5
LFE	"Student Adultery" (2003) Elizabeth Berkeley. A teacher is falsely accused of sexual misconduct. (N Stereo) 5	"Student Adultery" (2003) Elizabeth Berkeley. A teacher is falsely accused of sexual misconduct. (N Stereo) 5	Dogfight: The Greatest Air Battles Four famous air battles. (N Stereo) 5		"Geopel of Deceit" (2006) Alexandra Paul. The wife of a preacher falls for a young man. (N Stereo) 5		Weird Weapons: The Alphas (Stereo) 5		Will & Grace 5	Will & Grace 5	Frasier (N Stereo) 5		The Golden Girls 5
HST	Modern Mystery "Bedroom Thief" (N Stereo) 5	Modern Mystery "Bedroom Thief" (N Stereo) 5	Dogfight: The Greatest Air Battles Four famous air battles. (N Stereo) 5		The X-Files "The Alphas" (Stereo) 5		Weird Weapons: The Alphas (Stereo) 5		Will & Grace 5	Will & Grace 5	Frasier (N Stereo) 5		The Golden Girls 5
ESPN2	X Games Carson, Calif. 5	X Games Carson, Calif. 5	College Football: Kansas at Toledo. (Live) 5		College Football: Kansas at Toledo. (Live) 5		College Football: Kansas at Toledo. (Live) 5		College Football: Kansas at Toledo. (Live) 5	College Football: Kansas at Toledo. (Live) 5	College Football: Kansas at Toledo. (Live) 5		Tyson's Sports 5
ESPN	MLB Baseball: Boston Red Sox at New York Yankees. Yankee Stadium. (Live) 5	MLB Baseball: Boston Red Sox at New York Yankees. Yankee Stadium. (Live) 5	MLB Baseball: Boston Red Sox at New York Yankees. Yankee Stadium. (Live) 5		MLB Baseball: Boston Red Sox at New York Yankees. Yankee Stadium. (Live) 5		MLB Baseball: Boston Red Sox at New York Yankees. Yankee Stadium. (Live) 5		MLB Baseball: Boston Red Sox at New York Yankees. Yankee Stadium. (Live) 5	MLB Baseball: Boston Red Sox at New York Yankees. Yankee Stadium. (Live) 5	MLB Baseball: Boston Red Sox at New York Yankees. Yankee Stadium. (Live) 5		SportsCenter (N Stereo) 5
FSP	MLB Baseball: New York Mets at Pittsburgh Pirates. PNC Park. (Live) 5	MLB Baseball: New York Mets at Pittsburgh Pirates. PNC Park. (Live) 5	MLB Baseball: New York Mets at Pittsburgh Pirates. PNC Park. (Live) 5		MLB Baseball: New York Mets at Pittsburgh Pirates. PNC Park. (Live) 5		MLB Baseball: New York Mets at Pittsburgh Pirates. PNC Park. (Live) 5		MLB Baseball: New York Mets at Pittsburgh Pirates. PNC Park. (Live) 5	MLB Baseball: New York Mets at Pittsburgh Pirates. PNC Park. (Live) 5	MLB Baseball: New York Mets at Pittsburgh Pirates. PNC Park. (Live) 5		SportsCenter (N Stereo) 5
TNT	Without a Trace "Birthright Boy" (N Stereo) 5	Without a Trace "Birthright Boy" (N Stereo) 5	Without a Trace "Birthright Boy" (N Stereo) 5		Without a Trace "Birthright Boy" (N Stereo) 5		Without a Trace "Birthright Boy" (N Stereo) 5		Without a Trace "Birthright Boy" (N Stereo) 5	Without a Trace "Birthright Boy" (N Stereo) 5	Without a Trace "Birthright Boy" (N Stereo) 5		Without a Trace "Birthright Boy" (N Stereo) 5
CNN	The Situation Room 5	The Situation Room 5	The Situation Room 5		The Situation Room 5		The Situation Room 5		The Situation Room 5	The Situation Room 5	The Situation Room 5		The Situation Room 5
WCK	Sponge- Bob 5	Sponge- Bob 5	Sponge- Bob 5		Sponge- Bob 5		Sponge- Bob 5		Sponge- Bob 5	Sponge- Bob 5	Sponge- Bob 5		Sponge- Bob 5
AMC	Movie: 1994 "The Usual Suspects" (N Stereo) 5	Movie: 1994 "The Usual Suspects" (N Stereo) 5	Movie: 1994 "The Usual Suspects" (N Stereo) 5		Movie: 1994 "The Usual Suspects" (N Stereo) 5		Movie: 1994 "The Usual Suspects" (N Stereo) 5		Movie: 1994 "The Usual Suspects" (N Stereo) 5	Movie: 1994 "The Usual Suspects" (N Stereo) 5	Movie: 1994 "The Usual Suspects" (N Stereo) 5		Movie: 1994 "The Usual Suspects" (N Stereo) 5
TDC	Stunt Junkies 5	Stunt Junkies 5	Stunt Junkies 5		Stunt Junkies 5		Stunt Junkies 5		Stunt Junkies 5	Stunt Junkies 5	Stunt Junkies 5		Stunt Junkies 5
DISN	Hannah Montana 5	Hannah Montana 5	Hannah Montana 5		Hannah Montana 5		Hannah Montana 5		Hannah Montana 5	Hannah Montana 5	Hannah Montana 5		Hannah Montana 5
ABC	Crossing Jordan "Born to Run" (N Stereo) 5	Crossing Jordan "Born to Run" (N Stereo) 5	Crossing Jordan "Born to Run" (N Stereo) 5		Crossing Jordan "Born to Run" (N Stereo) 5		Crossing Jordan "Born to Run" (N Stereo) 5		Crossing Jordan "Born to Run" (				







# Church Calendar

## APOSTOLIC

Apostolic Church of Oakland, Rev. Aaron Phillips, Pastor SS 10 am, Wor. 11 am, Bible Study Wed. 7 pm.

## ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Cornerstone Assembly of God, US 219, Boynton, Pa. Pastor Thomas Twigg Jr., 814-662-4235, SS 9:30 am; Wor. 10:30 am; Sun. eve. ser. 6 pm; Wed. am. night & Bible study 7 pm.

Crellin Assembly of God, Rev. Bruce Craig, Pastor SS 9:45 am; Wor. 10:45 am and 6 pm; Prayer meet. Mon. 7 pm; Prayer and Bible study, Missionettes and Royal Rangers, PowerSource Youth Minist. Wed. 7 pm.

Glendale Assembly of God Church, David P. Goldizen, Pastor SS 10 am; evening Wor. 6 pm; Thurs. evening wor. 7 pm.

Good Tidings Assembly of God, Location Rd., St. George, WV, Iris V. Skipper, Pastor SS 10 am; Wor. 7 pm & Fri. 7:30 pm; Cottage Prayer Meet. Tues. 7:30 pm.

Hwy Assembly of God, Rt. 38, Kitzmiller, Rev. Gail K. Hixon, Pastor SS 10 am; Sun. eve. ser. 6 pm; Wed. night ser. 7 pm.

Kitzmiller Assembly of God, Rev. Lee R. Robertson, Pastor SS 10 am; Wor. 11 am; Eve. Wor. 7 pm; Prayer & Praise ser. Wed. 7 pm.

Lakeside Assembly of God, Rev. Robert W. Collette Sr., Pastor SS 9:30 am; Wor. 10:30 am; Evang. ser. Sun. 6:30 pm; Bible Study Wed. 7 pm.

Maple Grove Assembly of God, Horse Shoe Run, WV, Robert J. Klier, Pastor SS 9:30 am; Wor. 10:30 am; Wed. 7 pm; Fam. 6 pm youth; 7 pm Bible study.

Maranatha Assembly of God, 176 Springs Rd., Grantsville, 301-895-5300, Rev. William K. Ferguson, Interim Pastor SS 9:30 am; Sun. Worship 10:30 am & 6 pm.

Mt. Top Christian Assembly, Rt. 135, Min. Lake Park, Rev. Daniel Winters, SS 9:30 am; Wor. and Kids C.A.V.E. 10:30 am; Living Word Youth Ministry and Evang. ser. 6 pm; Wed. Bible Study and Missionettes 7 pm; Choir 8 pm.

Rocky Drear Assembly of God, Bray School Rd. Rev. William C. Skipper, Pastor SS 9:45 am; Wor. 10:45 am & 7 pm; Wed. ser. 7 pm.

Terra Alta Assembly of God, Rev. Robert Travis, Pastor SS 10 am; Wor. & Child's Church 11 am; Evang. ser. 7 pm; Adult Bible Study & Youth ser. Wed. 7 pm.

Walnut Bottom Assembly of God, Rev. George Tichnell, SS 10 am; evening Wor. 6 pm and Wed. 7 pm.

## BAPTIST

Deep Creek Baptist Church, Don Wilson, Pastor SS 9:45 am; Wor. 11 am and 6 pm; Bible Study & Prayer Wed. 7 pm.

Ferndale Baptist Church, Rt. 219, 3 mi. N. of Oakland, Child's SS 9 am; Wor. 10 am.

Harvest Baptist Church, Off Rt. 495, Jennings Rd., Rev. Kirby, Pastor phone, 301-895-5556, SS 9:30 am; Wor. 10:30 am; Wed. Prayer & Bible Study 7 pm.

Little Meadows Baptist Church, Chestnut Ridge Rd., Grantsville, Pastor Rick High, 301-895-4200, SS 9:30 am; Wor. 10:45 am & 6 pm; Bible study Wed. 7 pm.

Mtn. Lake Independent Baptist Church, 1005 Broadford Rd. Dennis L. Leatherman, Pastor, www.mlbic.org, SS 9:45 am, Wor. 10:45 am & 7 pm & Wed. 7 pm.

New Testament Baptist Church, 710 Dung Hill Rd., Grantsville, 301-895-4001, Tony Wilburn, Pastor SS 10 am; Worship 11 am and 7 pm; Wed. Eve. Bible study 7:30 pm.

Pleasant View Baptist Church, 2 mi. S. of Oakland, Rt. 219, Wally Weeks, Pastor Mark Weeks, Wor. Pastor, 301-334-8515, Sun. Wor. 10:15 am; Bible Study 9 am; Family Minist. Wed. 6 pm.

Rush Baptist Church, 1985 Old Morgantown Rd. West, near Friendsville, Rev. Ray Perkins, Pastor SS 9:45 am; Wor. 11 am.

Victory Baptist Church, 3 miles W. of Oakland, Rt. 39, near Crellin, SS 10 am; Wor. 11 am & 7 pm & Wed. 7 pm.

## BRETHREN

Asher Glade Church of the Brethren, Rt. 42, N. of Friendsville, Edwin Moore, Pastor, 1-724-425-9792, SS 10 am; Wor. 11 am.

Bear Creek Church of the

Brethren, Brethren Church Rd., Accident, Pastor Kevin Staggs, SS 9:30 am; Wor. 10:30 am.

Bethesda Church of the Brethren, Rt. 496, Grantsville, Carroll Jenkins, Pastor SS 9:30 am; Wor. 10:30 am.

Brookside Church of the Brethren, Rev. Sam Moon, Pastor SS 10 am; Wor. 11 am.

Cherry Grove Church of the Brethren, 3992 Chestnut Ridge Rd., Grantsville, Tom Wegman, Pastor, 814-662-9311, SS 9:30 am; Wor. 10:30 am.

Fairview Church of the Brethren, 4 mi. off Rt. 50, David C. Moon, Pastor SS 10 am; Wor. 11 am.

Gortner Union Church of the Brethren-Mennonite, Rev. Steven Sauder, Pastor SS 9:30 am; Wor. 10:30 am.

Grace Brethren Church, 3 mi. S. of Accident on Bumble Bee Rd. SS 10 am; Wor. 11 am.

Laughlin Church of the Brethren, Amish Rd., Grantsville, Pastor Mark Durst, SS 9:30 am; Wor. 10:30 am.

Laurel Glen Church of the Brethren, Old Mill Rd., Cranesville, Berma and Carol Yerkey, Pastors SS 10 am; Wor. 11 am.

Maple Grove Church of the Brethren, Maple Grove Rd. Worship 10:30 am.

Maple Spring Church of the Brethren, Rev. Glenn Nissly, Pastor SS 10 am; Wor. 10:45 am.

Markleysburg Church of the Brethren, Main St., Markleysburg, Pa., 724-329-8155, SS 10 am; Worship 11 am.

Mt. Grove Church of the Brethren, Rev. Curtis Ketterman, Pastor, Wor. 10:30 am.

Oak Grove Church of the Brethren, Sang Run Rd. Pastor Philip Matthews, 301-334-1248; church 301-387-7502, SS 10 am; Wor. 11 am.

Oak Park Church of the Brethren, 110 Church Lane, Oakland, Rev. Mel Menker, Pastor, 301-334-2243, SS 9:30 am; Wor. 8:15 & 10:30 am.

Pine Grove Church of the Brethren, Swallow Falls, Don Matthews, Interim Pastor SS 10 am; Wor. 11 am.

CHURCH OF CHRIST, 1300 Memorial Dr., Oakland, 301-334-1501, SS 9:30 am; Wor. 10:30 am & 6 pm; Wed. 7 pm.

EMMANUEL Episcopal Church, 301 S. Mineral St., Keyser, WV, 304-788-4475, The Rev. Joe Mackov, Rector, Holy Euch. & sermon 10 am Sun.; Wed. Healing ser. 10:30 am.

Our Father's House, Rt. 135 at Altamont, Worship Service Sun., 10 am June 25 through Labor Day.

St. John's Episcopal Church, Rev. Chip Lee, Rt. 135, Deer Pk. SS & Holy Euch. 9 am.

St. Matthew's Episcopal, 2nd & Liberty St., Oakland, "Church of Presidents," Holy Euch. Sun. 8 & 10:45 am; Rev. Chip Lee, Rector.

St. Michael's Episcopal Church, 107 McDonald St., Kingwood, WV, Rev. Alan Jenks, Vicar, Holy Euch. ser. 10 am.

EVANGELICAL FREE Faith Evangelical Free Church, 1009 MD Hwy., Min. Lake Pk., 301-334-4172, Rev. David R. Martin, SS 9:30-10:30 am; Wor. ser. 10:45 am; Pioneer Club during sch. yr. Wed. Jr. & Sr. High 6:45-8 pm at Loch Lynn Community Building.

GOSPEL CHURCH Full Gospel Church, Blaine, WV, Rev. George Tichnell, Pastor SS 10 am; Sun. Night ser. 7 pm; Wed. Bible study 7 pm.

Independent Full Gospel Revival Center, Loch Lynn Hts. SS 10 am; Wor. ser. 6 pm; Wed. Wor. ser. 6:30 pm.

Savage River Full Gospel Church, Rev. Charles Braithwaite, Pastor SS 10 am; Sun. ser. 6:30 pm; Wed. ser. 7 pm.

CHURCH OF GOD Bayard Church of God, Bayard, WV, Rev. William McCallister, Pastor SS 10 am; Wor. ser. 11 am; Sun. & Wed. ser. 6:30 pm; Prayer meet. Thurs. 6 pm.

The Church of God of Prophecy, 25 Back Street, Deer Park, 301-533-3227, John Osborne, Pastor SS 10 am; morn. wor. 11 am, eve. wor. 7 pm; Wed. eve. ser. 7 pm.

First Church of God, Rt. 219 & Rt. 50, 301-334-6500, Tom & Sandy McGinnis, pastors SS 10 am; Sun. Wor. 11 am & 7 pm; Prayers serv. Tues. 7 pm.

Gorman Church of God, at 7301 GW Hwy., Oakland 301-334-4110, William Rhodes, pastor SS 10 am; Church ser. 11 am; Eve. ser. 6 pm; Tues. Bible study 7 pm.

Jennings Church of God, Rev. George Plants, Pastor SS 10 am; Preach. 6 pm; Sat. Prayer meet. 6 pm; Wed. Bible study 6 pm.

Laurel Run Church of God, Friendsville, Michael L. Roach, Pastor, (Affiliated w/ Anderson, Ind. & CBH) SS 10 am; Wor. ser. 10:45 am & 7 pm; Wed. prayer & Bible study 7 pm 301-746-5320.

Loch Lynn Church of God, Rev. Ivan and Cindy Ackerman, Pastors SS 9:45 am; Wor. 8 & 11 am and 6 pm; Wed. service 7 pm.

Sand Spring Church of God, Fearer Rd., Friendsville, 301-746-5675, Nevin Umbel, Int. Pastor SS 9 am; Wor. ser. 10:15 am; Bible Study Wed. 7 pm; Women's Minist. 1st Wed. 10 am Choir practice Wed. 6 pm.

INDEPENDENT Creation for Christ Min., 301-334-3133, Rt. 219 S. Glenes Dumire, Pastor Sun. Wor. 7:30 pm; Wed. prayer meet. 7:30 pm.

First Christian Church, Friendsville, Galen Beitzel, Evang. SS 10 am; Wor. & Com. 11 am.

Freedom Chapel, Bear Creek Rd. near Friendsville, Pastor Phil Smith, 301-746-5172, SS 10 am; Wor. ser. 11:15 am; Bible study Tues. eve. 6 pm.

Grace Hwy. Church, 28099 Garrett Hwy., Accident, Larry Gifflety, Pastor, 301-746-8635, SS 10 am; Wor. ser. 11 am & 7:00 pm; Prayer Meet. & Bible study Wed. 7:30 pm.

House of Love, 114 S. Second St., Oakland (Entry at Church Health Care Mall), 707-0272, Sun. wor 10 am.

Mercy Chapel, Pastor Daymond Schmuck, 902 Mill Run Rd., 5 mi. N. of Friendsville, Wor. ser. Sun. 10:30 am; Bible study.

New Life Christian Church, Rev. Roger Kitzmiller, Pastor 3 mi

of Oakland, off Rt. 219 on Nest Lick Acres Rd. SS 10 am; Wor. 11 am; Sun. Eve. ser. 7 pm Prayer Meet. 7 pm Wed.

Sang Run Christian Center, Sang Run Rd., Joe Spiker, Pastor, 301-387-6142, SS 10 am; Wor. 11 am; Bible study every 3rd Wed. 7 pm.

St. John's Church, Grantsville, Pastor Jerry Rogers, 301-895-5256, SS 9:15 am; Wor. ser. 10:30 am.

St. Paul's Wilhelm Church, 531 Rock Station Rd., Meyersdale, PA, Pastor Tommy Holiday, 814-662-4555, Wor. 9 am; SS 10 am.

Western Md. Christian Center, Mike Robinson, Pastor, 827 1st Ave., Friendsville, 301-746-5715, Sun. Fellowship & Children's C.L.U.B. house 10 am; Eve. Wor. Sun. 6 pm; Disc. & Youth (13-18) Wed. 7 pm.

World Lighthouse Worship Center, Grantsville, Dewayne Johnson, Pastor, 301-895-3868, Sun. wor. 10 am & 6 pm; Tues. w/youth & teens 7 pm Nursery avail.

JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses, 325 Weber Rd., Oakland, 301-334-8301, Delmus Evans presiding, Sun. 10 am Public lecture; 10:50 am Watchtower study; Tues. 7:30 pm Bible study; Thurs. 7:30 pm Ministry School; 8:25 pm Service meeting.

LATTER-DAY SAINTS The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 1022 John Dr., Oakland, Contact Gary Galloway, home 304-259-5565, office 301-334-9552, Sacramento meet. 10 am.

LUTHERAN Accident Evangelical Lutheran Parish, Roland E. Naim

# Trickling Toward Tomorrow



Have you ever followed a trickling brook as it meanders merrily along? Perhaps it is joyful knowing that one day it will be part of a mighty ocean, powerfully pounding the shore. In the meantime, the trickle grows slowly into a stream and then a river, increasing in size and might, mile by mile, on a journey toward the sea. It is part of God's creation.

On the journey toward our goals, we begin slowly like the trickling brook, growing and gathering strength as we move ahead. Along the way we develop such qualities as patience, humility, and wisdom as we experience life. To grow great and strong, our actions must be rooted in spiritual principles.

We can learn about these principles as we visit our House of Worship each week, "...growing in the knowledge of God, being strengthened with all power...." (Colossians 1:10-11) Through worship and growth, God's plan for us will unfold.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
2 Timothy	2 Timothy	Titus	Titus	Titus	Psalms	Psalms
3:1-17	4:1-22	1:1-16	2:1-15	3:1-15	1	19

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Church, 28099 Garrett Hwy., Accident, Larry Gifflety, Pastor, 301-746-8635, SS 10 am; Wor. ser. 11 am & 7:00 pm; Prayer Meet. & Bible study Wed. 7:30 pm. House of Love, 114 S. Second St., Oakland (Entry at Church Health Care Mall), 707-0272, Sun. wor 10 am. Mercy Chapel, Pastor Daymond Schmuck, 902 Mill Run Rd., 5 mi. N. of Friendsville, Wor. ser. Sun. 10:30 am; Bible study. New Life Christian Church, Rev. Roger Kitzmiller, Pastor 3 mi	<b>THOMAS TIRES</b> Tires, Batteries & Accessories Rt. 39, Oakland 301-334-4547 <b>BURDOCK OURST FUNERAL HOME</b> 21 N. 2nd St., Oakland 301-334-3388 <b>RIGIDPLY RAFTERS</b> Roof & Floor Trusses • Building Packages 1283 Joni Miller Rd. Oakland 301-334-3977 <b>BILLY BENDER</b> <b>CHEVROLET - GEO INC.</b> Main Street, Grantsville 301-895-5115 <b>GARRETT AUTOMOTIVE</b> Full Service Foreign, Domestic & Diesel Cars Rt. 219, Deep Creek Lake 301-387-6148 <b>PETERS FUEL CORPORATION</b> Wholesale Petroleum Distribution 8 W. 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St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church, (LCMS), 1065 Cove Rd., Accident, 301-746-8466, Rev. Douglas Kabell, Pastor, Trad. wor. 9 am; Cont. wor. 11 am; SS & Bible cl. 10 am. St. John's Lutheran Church, Red House, supply pastor, phone 301-334-4778, SS 9:45 am; Wor. ser. 11 am. St. Paul's Lutheran, Aurora, WV Wor. ser. 9:30 am; SS 8:45 am. St. Mark's Lutheran Church, 6 S. Second St., Oakland, 301-334-2688, Rev. Dr. C. Scott Robinson, pastor, SS 8:45 am; Wor. ser. 10 am; Wed. Adult forum 6:15 pm, Evening wor. 7 pm. Shepherd of the Hills Lutheran Church, 19741 Garrett Hwy., (at Garrett 8 Cinemas), 301-387-0400, Wor. ser. 9:30 am; SS 10:45 am. Zion Lutheran Church (LCMS), Accident, SS & Bible	<b>KATHY'S FURNITURE &amp; GIFTS</b> Specializing in Quality Furniture & Accessories Rt. 219 & Glendale Rd. Dry Dock Plaza 301-387-9555 <b>M&amp;S STONE QUARRIES INC.</b> Quarries of Quality Building Stones & Flagstone 7181 Napt. 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SS 9:30 am; Wor. 10:30 am. Gortner Union Church of the Brethren-Mennonite, Rev. Steven Sauder, Pastor SS 9:30 am; Wor. ser. 10:30 am. Maple Glen Mennonite Church, Grantsville, Pastor Phil Moser. SS 9:30 am; Wor. 10:30 am. Meadow Mountain Mennonite Church, Rt. 495 near Dry Run & Glendale Rd. Duane Frederick, Pastor. SS 9:30 am; Wor. ser. 10:30 am. Oak Grove Mennonite, Pastor Tim Fetterly, On Zehner Rd. 3 mi. W. of Grantsville by Rt. 40, SS 9:30 am; Wor. ser. 10:30 am. Red Run Mennonite Church, Meyersdale Rd., 301-264-3039, Rev. Carlos Reyes, Pastor. Wor. 10:30 am; SS 9:30 am. <b>NAZARENE</b> Church of the Nazarene, Rev. Art Evans, study 301-334-2251, 207 S. 8th St., Oakland, SS 9:45 am; Wor. 10:45 am; Sun. eve. ser. 6 pm; prayer, praise & study Wed. 7 pm. Kingwood Nazarene Church, 125 Wellsley St., Kingwood, WV. SS 9:45 am; wor. 11 am; Sun. eve. serv. 6 pm; Caravan (Sept.-May) & Bible study Wed. 7 pm. <b>PENTECOSTAL</b> Calvary Tabernacle, Acci-	Church SS 9:30 am to 10:30 am; Wor. ser. 10:45 am w/Nursery (Infant to 5 years). Bloomington United Methodist Charge, Rev. Donald Nelson, Pastor, Mt. Zion: Wor. 8:50 am followed by SS; Bible study 6:30 pm Tues. Chestnut Grove: Wor. 9:45 am; prayer meet. Mon. 6:30 pm; Bloomington: SS 10 am; Wor. 11 am; prayer meet. Wed. 7:30 pm. Cranesville United Methodist Charge, Alan J. Granofsky, Faith Church: 304-789-2332, Wor. 10 am; SS 11 am; Bible study Wed. 7:30 pm Lake Ford: Wor. 11:15 am; SS 10:15 am. Mt. Storm Presbyterian Church, Rev. Paul A. Smith, 304-693-7546, Wor. ser. 9 am; SS 10 a m. <b>REFORMED</b> Grace Reformed Church, Pastor Robert Bonser, 301-334-5635, meets at St. Matthew's Episcopal Church at S. 2nd and Liberty Sts., Oakland for 9:30 am worship. <b>ROMAN CATHOLIC</b> St. Anne's Catholic Church, Rt. 40, Grantsville, Mass. Sun. 9:30 am. St. Peter the Apostle Catholic Church, Oakland, Rev. Donald J. Parson, Phone: 301-334-2202, Oakland: Sat. 5:30 pm; Sun., 8 & 11:30 am. Lake Courtyard Uno's Rest.: Sun. 9:30 am. <b>SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST</b> Mountaintop Seventh-Day Adventist Church, Between DCL & Oakland, Geoff Starr, Pastor, 301-387-9532, Sat. Sab. Sch. 9:30 am; Wor. Hr. 11 am. <b>UNITARIAN/UNIVERSALIST</b> UU Fellowship of Greater Cumberland, 211 S. Lee St., Cumberland, Church sch. & serv. 10:45 am Sun. <b>UNITED BRETHREN</b> Crellin United Brethren in Christ, Ed Calhoun, Pastor, 301-334-1870, SS 9:45 am; Wor. ser. 10:50 am and 6 pm; Youth Gr. 6 pm Sun.; prayer meet. & Bible study 7 pm Wednesday. Underwood United Brethren Church, Marshall Woods, Pastor, 301-334-5777, Wor. ser. 9 am; SS 10:15 am; Sun. Eve. ser. 6:30 pm; Thurs. Bible Study, 7 pm. <b>UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST</b> St. John's United Church of Christ, Salisbury, Pa. Rev. Dr. Phil Sorensen, Pastor, Wor. Serv. 11 a m. Trinity United Church of Christ, New Germany, Rev. Dr. Phil Sorensen, Pastor, Wor. 9:30 a m. <b>UNITED METHODIST</b> The United Methodist Church, Garrett Highlands Charge, Rev. Joe Robinette, Pastor, Phone 301-533-0999, Crellin: Wor. ser. 10 am; SS 10:45 am; White Church: Wor. ser. 11 am; SS 10 am; Deer Park: Wor. ser. 9 am; SS 9:45 am; Kurtz Chapel: Sun. Wor. ser. 8 am. Aurora United Methodist Charge, Rev. Debbie Friend, Pastor, Amboy: Sun. 9:45 am 1st & 3rd Sun.; 8:30 am 2nd & 4th Sun.; Aurora: Wor. 11 am 1st, 2nd, 3rd Sun.; 9:45 4th Sun.; Bethel: 9:45 am 2nd Sun.; 11 am 4th Sun. Stemple Ridge: 8:30 am 1st & 3rd Sun.; Prayer & Praise 7:30 pm Wed. at Aurora. Bethel United Methodist Church, Mtn. Lake Park, Rev. Richard Hogg Jr., 301-334-4488.
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## Calcium Reduces Risk Of Colon Cancer

Calcium is the most abundant mineral in the human body. It is important in many bodily functions including bone development, muscle contraction, blood vessel contraction and expansion, hormone secretion, and nerve function. A recent study showed that calcium reduced the risk of colon cancer in women by 26 to 46%. The study was performed at the University of Minnesota Cancer Center and involved 45,354 women with no history of colon cancer. The women, whose average age was 61 years, reported their calcium consumption from diet and supplements. Women who consumed more than 412.4 mg per day of calcium in their diet along with more than 800 mg per day from supplements had a 46% lower risk of developing colon cancer than women who consumed less calcium from diet and supplements.

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## Ten Receive Garrett College Scholarships

More Garrett College scholarship recipients were announced by Bob Beach, executive director of the Garrett College Foundation.

Lisa Marie Bernard, Oakland, a 2004 graduate of Southern High School, was awarded the Michael Vaughn Vitez Memorial Scholarship. The daughter of Douglas E. and Victoria Ann Bernard is a business administration major.

Justin Dean DeVault was awarded the Josh Fike Scholarship. The son of Steve L. and Janice D. DeVault of Grafton, W. Va., is majoring in natural resources.

Breanne J. Eckley of Carbon, Pa., received the Charles L. Briner Memorial



LISA BERNARD

Scholarship. The fine and performing arts major is the son of Clinton R. and Cheryl D. Eckley. He is a 2006 graduate of Jim Thorpe Area High School.

Jeffrey Lynn Gank Jr. of Oakland was awarded the Jeffrey Kirk Roszell Scholarship. The 2006 Southern Garrett High School graduate is majoring in business and information technology. He is the son of Jeffrey



JUSTIN DeVULT



BREANNE ECKLEY



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NICOLE KOVACH

Roscoe G. Bartlett Scientific

Scholarship. She is the daughter of Robert F. and Elizabeth L. Shaffer. The 2005 graduate of Northern Garrett High School is a major in the mathematics/sciences program.

Amy Elizabeth Shaffer of McHenry was awarded the American Association of University Women Scholarship. The 2006 graduate of Northern Garrett High School is majoring in elementary education. She is the daughter of Robert F. and Elizabeth L. Shaffer.



DARRICK LOWDERMILK

L. and Deborah L. Gank. Heidi Ann Hare of Swanton was awarded the Wilma A. Calhoun Scholarship. The daughter of James R. and Mary Ann Hare is majoring in arts and sciences. She is a 2005 graduate of Northern Garrett High School.

Nicole Marie Kovach of



OREN ORENDORF

McHenry was awarded the Knights of Columbus (Oakland Council #1771) Scholarship. The daughter of Thomas A. Kovach and Mary M. Fazenbaker is majoring in mathematics and science. She is a 2005 graduate of Northern Garrett High School.

Darrick Ervin Lowdermilk of Friendsville is the recipient of the Verizon Telecommunications Technology Scholarship. The 2005 graduate of Northern Garrett High School is the



MEGAN SHAFFER



AMY SHAFFER

son of Ricky E. and Cindy A. Lowdermilk. He is majoring in arts and science - math/science.

Oren Ray Orendorf of Grantsville received the Colonel J. Haig and Mrs. Ruth Ridder Jackson Scholarship. The son of Olen and Clarabelle Orendorf is majoring in secondary education.

Megan Rae Shaffer of McHenry was awarded the

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The annual meeting of the Accident Community Housing Corporation will be held Monday, September 11, 2006 at 7:00 p.m. at Accident Town View Village.

All community members are urged to attend.

Membership Dues: Only \$5.00

If you are interested in becoming a member, but are unable to attend the meeting, mail \$5.00 to: Accident Community Housing Corporation P.O. Box 109, Accident, MD 21520

## ACCIDENT

**NORTH STAR 4-H CLUB**

The North Star 4-H Club will hold its September meeting on Monday, Sept. 11, at the Accident fire hall at 7 p.m. instead of Tuesday, Sept. 12, because of election day.

**NHS SPORTS**

The varsity football team will host Clear Spring this Friday, Sept. 8, at 7 p.m. On Friday, Sept. 15, the Huskies will host Berkeley Springs at 7 p.m.

The JV football team will compete at Clear Spring on Wednesday, Sept. 13, beginning at 6 p.m.

Northern girls' volleyball will begin Monday, Sept. 11, with Westmar, and then on Wednesday, Sept. 13, against Southern at NHS. JV matches will begin at 6 p.m. and varsity games will be at 7 p.m.

## FRIENDSVILLE

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ers. There will also be refreshments served following the program.

This is the fifth year WOW has sponsored this event. Ceremonies have included the dedication of flagpoles, commemorative plaques, and the presentation of U.S. flags.

**GRANDPARENTS' DAY**

The Friendsville Community Watch will be hosting a Grandparents' Day picnic at Friendsville Community Park this Friday, Sept. 8, beginning at noon. All senior citizens are encouraged to attend. To obtain more information or to register, persons may contact the Friendsville Senior Center at 301-746-5300.

**SPEAR REUNION**

The 24th annual Spear reunion will be held at the Mt. Top Fellowship Center this Saturday, Sept. 9, beginning at 1 p.m. The theme for this year is "Hats," and persons can decorate the tables or themselves. There will be an Afghan giveaway and auction. Those attending may bring a \$5 item to be auctioned.

**SCHOOL NEWS**

Garrett County schools will be closed Tuesday, Sept. 12, for primary election day.

**CASH BASH SCHEDULED**

The Friendsville Volunteer Fire and Rescue Dept. will be hosting its second annual Cash Bash on Saturday, Sept. 30, beginning at 5 p.m. at the Friendsville fire hall. Only 1,000 tickets will be sold, so early sell-out is expected. Tickets can be purchased from any Friendsville firefighter or by mail to Friendsville Fire and Rescue Dept., P.O. Box

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**District 1A**

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# Friends of Larry Gnegy For Sheriff

## COMPARE BEFORE YOU VOTE

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- Life Member, MD Sheriffs Association
- Served Under Administrations of 5 Sheriffs
- Experience With Garrett County Sheriff's Office
- Experience In Jail Administration
- Experience In Writing/Managing Grants
- Experience As Police Training Instructor
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Larry Gnegy	Gary Berkebile
YES	NO
YES	NO
YES	NO
26 Years	9 Years
10 Years	0 Years
9 Years	0 Years
11 Years	0 Years
10 Years	0 Years

- 31 Years Law Enforcement Experience
- 2 Years Criminal Investigator
- 2 Years Drug Enforcement Unit
- 14 Years Police Supervisor
- 10 Years Jail Administration
- Reality Youth Program
- Law Enforcement Executive Development School

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- Law Enforcement Award
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- Annual Civic Award, Maryland
- Network Against Domestic Violence
- Law Enforcement Award, Sons of the American Revolution
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- 1994 initiated the original Garrett County Sheriff's Office Sexual Offender Registration Program
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- Since 1997 - Served As Primary Grant Writer and Manager For the Sheriff's Office.
- Procured in Excess of \$775,000 in State and Federal Grants For a Variety of Different Programs

Over the course of the last several months, Larry Gnegy has frequently revealed his qualifications as listed above. Compare his qualifications to those of his opponents, and then vote in the September 12 Primary Election. This is the election that counts. Thank you for your support!



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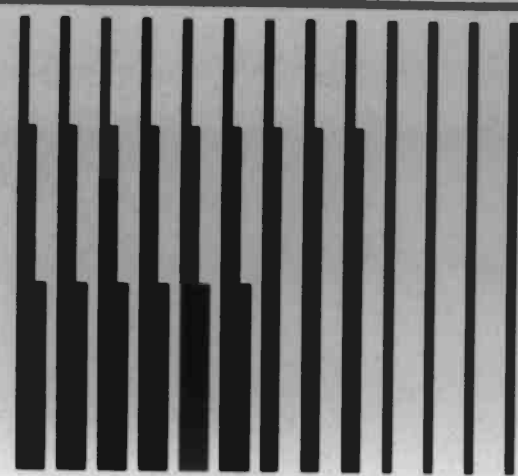
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# Voters' Guide

## Sept. 12, 2006, Primary Elections

The League of Women Voters of Garrett County, in cooperation with *The Republican* newspaper, is pleased to provide the information on these pages to assist voters in their decision-making before going to the polls in next Tuesday's Maryland primary elections. The polls will be open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. that day.

### NOTES ABOUT THIS GUIDE:

**Board of Education candidates:** Responses from Garrett County Board of Education candidates do not appear in this guide, as these candidates are non-partisan and will not appear on the primary ballots. Information about the candidates will be published before the general election in November.

**Candidates' Responses:** The responses in this guide were transcribed exactly as submitted, so errors in spelling and/or punctuation were retained. Responses were also kept strictly to the word limit, and therefore those that exceeded the limit were ended, sometimes mid-sentence.

## Garrett County Commissioner

**BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION:** (50-word limit): Please include education, experience, and background information which you consider pertinent to the office you are seeking.

**QUESTION:** (75-word limit): Why do you think that you are the best candidate for this position?

### District I

**ERNEST J. GREGG**

**Party:** Republican

**District:** I

**Bio:** Graduate of West Virginia University School of Pharmacy. Successful business owner of Gregg's Pharmacy and Renaissance Driving School. Member of several civic and professional organizations, including Garrett Memorial Hospital Board, Oakland-Mtn. Lake Park Lions Club, Garrett County Historical Society Board, Tri-County Council of Western Maryland, and the DOVE Center.

**Answer:** Incumbent County Commissioner. I have considerable experience in helping to plan and guide Garrett County. My vast knowledge of the management and fiscal structure of county government is a valuable asset. One of my goals continues to be raising the standard of living of our citizens by providing educational opportunities. Based on my education, experience, and desire to improve our county, I am the most qualified candidate for this position. I stand on my record.

**SIDNEY R. NAZELROD**

**Party:** Republican

**District:** I

**Bio:** Graduated with top ten percent of class 1975 at Southern High. Regional and State Public Speaking awards, repeat Student Council Officer, received State Agricultural Degree, Danforth Nominee, former Dairy Farmer, Real Estate Broker, Uhaul Dealer, Pastor, assisted Feed the Children program, Humanitarian, Husband, Step Father, and Grand Dad.

**Answer:** I have always been a problem solver and a hard worker. I enjoy being able to help others. I feel I can give my full attention to the job of Commissioner. I want to work toward a better economy I will do my very best to make every challenge a victory for the County.

### District II

**FREDERICK A. HOLLIDAY**

**Party:** Republican

**District:** II

**Bio:** I am a lifelong resident of the Grantsville area; a graduate of Northern High School; veteran of U.S. Army; owned and operated the H&H Hardware Store for 27 years. My wife Joan and I reside in Avilton. We have been married for 37 years and are the parents of three....

**Answer:** I have served as Garrett County Commissioner for the past eight years and as Mayor of Grantsville for over 15 years, am presently a member of the Legislative Committee and on the Board of Directors of the Maryland Association of Counties; and, a member of the first graduating class of the Academy of Excellence at the University of Maryland. With this experience and my involvement in many committees and fraternal organizations. I feel I am

**WALT WALTERS**

**Party:** Democrat

**District:** II

**Bio:** I graduated from South Williamsport June 1981. I served in Air Force 83-83. Obtained A.A. in Bible Studies from Zion Christian School. I have been married to Teresa Ann Burns for 19 years. We have four lovely children, Hannah, Caleb, Ruthanne, and Jesse; all attend Garrett Schools.

**Answer:** After giving this very much thought, consideration, and prayer I have come to the conclusion that my fellow voting citizens need to have someone represent them on the county level. I feel qualified and humiliated at the same time because I know that some folks will complain no matter what. However, there have been certain decisions made recently that have troubled a lot of people including myself. I intend to represent the working voting taxpayer.

### District III

**DAVID C. BEARD**

**Party:** Republican

**District:** III

**Bio:** Married, 45 years to Beverly, two children, Kelley and Michael, three grandchildren, Frostburg B.S. degree, 34 years high school Government teacher, County Commissioner 2002-2006; Oakland Town Council 1998-2002; Maryland Municipal League; Board of Elections Supervisor; Oakland/Mountain Lake Park Lions 28 years; American Legion 34 years; etc.

**Answer:** I have served 44 years as a public servant and community activist. When elected, I promised to be a full time Commissioner, and have. I have made tough decisions, put in long hours and am aware of the needs of our citizens. My goal is to provide effective, efficient government and continue what we have started...together! Your views will remain my first and continuing endeavor. I have gained valuable experience and insight as you...

**DENNY GLOTFELTY**

**Party:** Republican

**District:** III

**Bio:** Lifelong Garrett County resident, 1971 NHS

graduate, fourth-generation owner Double G RV Park, former farmer and Farm Bureau member, past chairman of the Garrett County Chamber of Commerce, former Sanitary Commission Board member, member county fair board, Garrett County Bus Contractors Association president. Married with two children, two grandchildren.

**Answer:** Change is inevitable, but change without proper planning and vision is detrimental to Garrett County's way of life. I'm particularly concerned about keeping the county affordable for all residents — especially our younger and retired generations. If elected, I will bring skills and experience in planning, management, and understanding of the average citizen. Above all, I will bring a committed work ethic, should my fellow citizens grant me the privilege of serving.

**BETTY M. PRITT**

**Party:** Democrat

**District:** III

**Bio:** Graduated from Frostburg University — Degree in Education. Managed my own business for 23 years moving women towards their goals. Volunteered for many organizations — helping them grow, and making Garrett County a better place to live.

**Answer:** I am a caring and concerned citizen who feels a change needs to be made. I can problem solve, work great with people, and will have an open mind as I listen and bring change to all citizens of Garrett County.

## Garrett County Sheriff

**BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION:** Include education, experience, and background information which you consider pertinent to the office you are seeking. (Limit 50 words)

**Why do you think that you are the best candidate for this position?** (Limit 75 words)

**GARY BERKEBILE**

**Party:** Republican

**Background:**

I'm a career law officer having graduated from the academies of the Metropolitan Washington D.C. Police and the Maryland State Police. I have attended numerous executive leadership trainings. I have 9 years experience as Chief Deputy, during which time I have been involved in every aspect of the Sheriff's Office.

**Answer:**

I have enjoyed serving Garrett County for 32 years, especially the last nine years as Chief Deputy under Sheriff Sanders. I am committed to the diligent personal performance necessary to continue improving the Garrett County Sheriff's Office, and to best respond to the citizens of Garrett County. As Sheriff, my priority will be keeping Garrett County safe for our children. The depth and breadth of my experience prepares me well to lead the Sheriff's Office.

**LARRY GNEGY**

**Party:** Republican

**Background:**

I am a 56-year-old Garrett County native and 31-year veteran of law enforcement. I served 26 years with the Sheriff's Office, six years as Administrator of the county jail. An experienced grant writer and certified police and correctional training instructor, I have been married for 21 years.

**Answer:**

Having served the citizens of Garrett County for 26 years and under five separate Sheriffs, I have gained additional knowledge and experience through each administration. I have worked in all areas of law enforcement and having served as jail administrator for the past six years, I have acquired more experience in both, corrections and law enforcement than any other candidate. I have received the endorsement of Garrett County Lodge 99, Fraternal Order of Police.

**HARLAND TICHNELL**

**Party:** Republican

**Background:**

1969 graduate of Southern Garrett High School; graduate Western Maryland Police Academy, 1976; graduate Federal Bureau of Investigation Academy, Quantico, Va., 1984. Throughout career attended numerous law enforcement trainings and conferences; 19 years unique and broad experience with Garrett County Sheriff's Office; 9 years Chief Deputy/Major.

**Answer:**

Garrett County has enjoyed a strong economy and continued growth for several years. As money may not be as readily available in the future, I will hire younger people interested in pursuing law enforcement careers in Garrett County. With the proper training and opportunities to better themselves through advancement, I will create an environment with higher morale leading to loyal, dedicated and career-minded officers who will better serve the citizens of Garrett County.

## Clerk/Garrett County Circuit Court

**BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION:** Include education, experience, and background information which you consider pertinent to the office you are seeking. (Limit 50 words)

**Why do you think that you are the best candidate for this position?** (Limit 75 words)

**DAVID K. MARTIN**

**Party:** Republican

**Background:**

Masters degree in business administration; 29 years in Clerk's Office, last 16 as Clerk of Court; member of Maryland Circuit Court Clerks Association, Mid-Atlantic Association of Court Management, and National Association of Court Management.

**Answer:**

(No response)

## Garrett County Register of Wills

**BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION:** Include education, experience, and background information which you consider pertinent to the office you are seeking. (Limit 50 words)

**Why do you think that you are the best candidate for this position?** (Limit 75 words)

**JOSEPH DISIMONE**

**Party:** Republican

**Background:**

Graduate of Oakland High School Class of 1951; attended Catherman's Business School, graduate of the Dale Carnegie course in public speaking; served in the U.S. Navy four years, attaining the rank of communications technician first class; member of the Oakland Rotary Club and Garrett Historical Society.

**Answer:**

I am now serving as Garrett County Register of Wills. I have served in this office for 26 years. I conduct several educational seminars each year for the public on wills and probate. I serve as clerk to the Garrett County Orphans' Court. I attend several seminars on probate with the Maryland Register of Wills Association each year to attain uniformity of probate procedures in each county.

## Garrett County Judges of the Orphans' Court

**BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION:** Include education, experience, and background information which you consider pertinent to the office you are seeking. (Limit 50 words)

**Why do you think that you are the best candidate for this position?** (Limit 75 words)

**CLIFFORD C. DEWITT**

**Party:** Republican

**Background:**

30 years experience in Circuit Court as Deputy Clerk and Clerk of Court. Seeing another term as Judge of Orphans' Court. Served as Chief Judge last three terms. Lifelong resident and familiar with people and culture of Garrett County.

**Answer:**

I feel that I am qualified as a candidate for the Orphans' Court because of my court experience. I retired as Clerk of the Circuit Court and have served several terms on the Orphans' Court. I am familiar with the Probate laws. I am a lifelong resident and familiar with the people and culture of Garrett County.

**JAMES F. MARGROFF**

**Party:** Republican

**Background:**

Graduated Northern High School, Technical Training School. Thirty years in the Garrett County Assessment Office, 18 years as Supervisor.

**Answer:**

I have served as Judge of the Orphans' Court the last four years, which has jurisdiction over probate matters. My knowledge of real estate values and Maryland law enables me to insure that fair and equitable judgement is made on all rulings of probate matters.

**H. WAYNE WILT**

**Party:** Republican

**Background:**

I am a graduate of Southern High School, and have an associate of arts degree from Garrett College. I have served as Judge of the Orphans' Court since December 2002, and have attended all training programs as recommended by the Maryland Association of Judges of the Orphans' Court, Annapolis, Maryland.

**Answer:**

I am retired from the Maryland Department of Juvenile Services — court services division. In addition, I have served in other positions of public service and trust that have greatly enhanced my qualifications to serve as Judge of the Orphans' Court. Those include being a deputy sheriff, bailiff for the Circuit Court, County Commissioner, and the Republican Central Committee. I am a member of the Board of Directors for WEPCO Federal Credit Union.

## Republican Central Committee

**BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION:** Include education, experience, and background information which you consider pertinent to the office you are seeking. (50-word limit)

**QUESTION:** Why do you think that you are the best candidate for this position? (75-word limit)

**MICHAEL H. BITTINGER**

**Bio:** A Garrett County native, graduate of Southern High School, Garrett College, and the Western MD Police Academy. I served in the US Army during the Gulf War. I currently serve as President of F.O.P. Lodge #99, the Oakland Youth Football League and Treasurer of Republican Central Committee.

**Answer:** I am seeking re-election to my third consecutive term on the Republican Central Committee where I have served as the committee treasurer for the last eight years. I have gained a great deal of experience and knowledge while serving on the committee in the past and I will continue to use my experience and leadership ability to make The Republican Party a strong and successful party in Garrett County and across the state.

**BRANDON BUTLER**

**Bio:** Brandon Butler is a recent graduate of Frostburg State University. While there, he double majored in Political Science and Law & Society, was active in the College Republicans, and was a weekly columnist for the school's newspaper. Brandon is currently the business manager for Randy Butler Automotive.

**Answer:** The central committee, in my mind, needs to reach out not only to the party faithful, but also to look to the future of our party. I believe that I am the best candidate for this position because I have energy, enthusiasm, and experience necessary. I interned for Delegate George Edwards in Annapolis, and am currently heavily involved in Republican political campaign work.

**EDWARD CLEMONS JR.**

**Bio:** Edward Clemons, Jr., Republican Central Committee Candidate is a 2002 Southern High School graduate, where he served as senior class president. Clemons has been an active member of various Republican organizations which include the Republican National Committee, Reagan Ranch, Reagan Presidential Task Force, and the Maryland Republican Party.

**Answer:** I feel I am the best candidate for the Republican Central Committee because I realize that in order to expand and preserve the Republican Party, so it can better serve the community, it must actively encourage and educate the younger generation to be a part of the government. I want a Republican party that works to better all man kind, young and old. Young people need a young voice on their side to work with....

**SHEILA TASKER O'NEILL**

**Bio:** I was borned & raised in Garrett County, daughter of Edward & Ruth Johnson Tasker. Graduated Southern High School 1965. Returned to the area in 1976 & registered Republican 1978. Two children Scott O'Neill & Bridgette Imhoff & Nana to 5 grandchildren.

**Answer:** I have been active in the Republican party on the state & county level for 8 years. Before I was appointed to the Central Committee, I carried a proxy to conventions for members who couldn't attend, this experience give me first hand knowledge of the importance of this committee & the team work it involves. I feel I'm very qualified for the committee & ask for your "vote"

**ARZELLA T. PARSONS**

**Bio:** April 1992 I received the Republican of the Year Award from the Republican Central Committee for my many years of Dedicated Service to the Republican Party. I was later appointed to serve on the Committee and have been elected to 3 terms. Elected County Treasurer, Served 20 years

**Answer:** That I have been dedicated to faithfully serve the Republican Party in the County and State of Maryland.

**ANN L. REBELE**

**Bio:** Dickinson College BA Liberal Arts, Garrett County resident for 13 years. Experience: Current President of Southern Garrett County Republican Women, State Legislative Chair for Republican Women, Delegate to National Conventions, Committee Chair position in multiple Republican and Civic Clubs, Volunteer in various Community Charity Organizations. Active Member—American Legion Auxiliary....

**Answer:** I want to be an active member in the leadership of Garrett County's Republican Party. My experience and involvement in the political arena will help me to represent GC citizens in making informed decisions on issues facing the Central Committee. My current position as president of the Southern Garrett County Republican Women's Club affords me an opportunity to know and recognize important issues that affect our community.

**THOMAS P. SHEAHEN**

**Bio:** My professional career as a scientist has focused on issues of energy policy and the environment. I earned a Ph.D in physics from MIT. I write the weekly science newspaper column "Ask the Everyday Scientist." I am cognizant of the environmental issues that affect the lake and our larger community.

**Answer:** Since moving to Garrett County, I have been active in the Republican Party, serving as county chair for the "Bush/Cheney '04" campaign. In support of the Central Committee, I have been editor of the program booklet for the Lincoln Day Dinner five years in a row. I will bring energy and initiative to help maintain the leadership role of the Central Committee.

**RUTH HINEBAUGH UMBEL**

**Bio:** Born and raised Garrett County. Graduated from Northern High. B.S. Degree in Social Science from F.S.U. Further degrees in Special Ed, Reading Specialist Certification and Masters in Education. Presently, teaching Government, U.S. History and World History at Allegany High School. Participated in Taft Institute People to People leadership under the....

**Answer:** I believe a good candidate should have character, be honest and trustworthy as well as have leadership ability through education and training. I have been secretary, V. President and President of Southern Republican Women, Western Region Chairman 7 times on a State level in MFRW Maryland Federation of Republican Women and National. I presently serve as secretary and have been elected by the people for the Central Committee. I also am presently Third V. Pres. ....

## Democrat Central Committee

**BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION:** Include education, experience, and background which you consider pertinent to the office you are seeking? (Limit 50 words)

**Why do you think that you are the best candidate for this position?** (Limit 75 words)

**ZELMA M. NEARY**

**Background:**

Graduate of Briantree City High School Essex England, Chelmsford College of Further Education, Essex England, Garrett College. Mother of Elizabeth, James and Phebe, seven grandsons. Currently employed by Delano's Inc. Served on Central Committee four years. Chairperson of Cub Scout Pack 31. Volunteered in school program fundraisers and Head Start.

**Answer:**

I am interested in helping the people who live and work in Garrett County by working for the party that is dedicated to working for the average person to promote jobs, health care, and education for all, and to make Garrett County a Democratic county.

**JAMES R. "SMOKEY" STANTON**

(No reply received)

## House of Delegates/Dist. 1-A

**BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION:** Include education, experience, and background which you consider pertinent to the office you are seeking? (Limit 50 words)

**Why do you think that you are the best candidate for this position?** (Limit 75 words)

**WENDELL R. BEITZEL**

**Party:** Republican

**Background:**

Raised on farm near Accident, attended Garrett County schools, and graduated from Fairmont State College with Bachelor of Science Degree, Master's Degrees in Management and Business Administration, Army veteran, Assistant Director of Environmental Health, Administrator of Garrett County Sanitary District, Garrett County Commissioner and small business owner for 34 years.

**Answer:**

Extensive government and business sector leadership experience, deep involvement in charitable and business organizations, member of Governor's Commission on Structure and Efficiency of Maryland Government, board member of Maryland Association of Counties, member of the Upper Potomac River Commission, served on bank boards, stand for limited government and less taxation, health care reform, pro gun, pro family values, married and believe marriage should only be between a man and woman, a proven and tested leader.

**DECORSEY E. BOLDEN**

**Party:** Republican

**Background:**

Veteran of the Maryland General Assembly serving 12 years in the House. Garrett County businessman, proprietor Southern Car Wash. Past President of the Garrett County Historical Society. Retired volunteer Fireman after 27 years with Oakland Fire Department. Continuous member Post #71 American Legion, Past Cdr., Charter member Oakland Lodge #2481....

**Answer:**

Fourth generation Garrett Countian instilled in me the history and quality of life our citizens enjoy and expect to continue to be protected by a quality, honest, hardworking Representative in Annapolis. I am on record as being opposed to the Oakland "by-pass" a wasteful use of land and money, \$400,000 a lineal foot with no financial benefit to people or merchants. I'm also opposed to the construction of 400ft. wind turbines on Backbone Mt. also with absolutely no benefits to the public.

**BRENDA J. BUTSCHER**

**Party:** Republican

**Background:**

Health care professional 17 years as Executive Director of Hospice of Garrett County. Member Garrett County Memorial Hospital Board of Governors 12 years. Chairperson of the Republican Central Committee. First and only woman County Commissioner. I have been elected 10 times to serve the citizens of Western Maryland. Annapolis astute.

**Answer:**

I have proven that I have excellent business, leader-

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## House of Delegates/Dist. 1-A (continued)

ship, and political skills. I am a known political leader and a Hospice voice across Maryland. I am honest, sincere and treat "ALL" people fair and equal. I will work hard for no new taxes, reduced health insurance costs, place limits medical malpractice settlements, state fiscal stability, farmers, police, fire and rescue, businesses and schools. I have the best multi-skills background to serve as your delegate.

### DAVID MOE

#### Party: Republican

#### Background:

Dave Moe is an Oakland businessman and former coal miner, advocating improved transportation and better paying jobs. A former Garrett Chamber President, he was appointed to the Western Maryland Economic Development Commission in 2003 by Governor Ehrlich. He and wife, Linda, Garrett County Home Health Agency Director, reside outside Oakland.

#### Answer:

My knowledge, drive and experience – and the ability to give the job my full-time attention – make me the best candidate to serve Garrett County in the House of Delegates. For years, I've supported major transportation improvements from highways to airports, which will advance and maintain the region's business and industrial economic base. I will work to reduce health insurance costs and support new state laws that benefit our forest products, agriculture, coal and trucking industries.

### JAY MOYER

#### Party: Republican

#### Background:

I have grown up in a family deeply involved in the politics of Garrett County and the State of Maryland. I am honored to have served the citizens of Oakland for the past 20 years as a Town Councilman. I have worked 30 years as an employee of Oakland.

#### Answer:

I feel that I am the best candidate for the position of House of Delegates, District 1-A because my experience has given me an opportunity to participate in all facets of government, while keeping the best interest of the taxpayers that I represent in mind. Ten consecutive terms on Council has enabled me to stay up to date on current political issues. I am the youngest candidate. I have the most years of experience.

### BILL AIKEN

#### Party: Democrat

#### Background:

Bill Aiken is a Garrett County native, business professional, and farmer. He is a graduate of Northern Garrett High School, Potomac State College, and West Virginia University's School of Business and Economics. Bill, Becky, and their two sons are members of Zion Lutheran Church, Accident.

#### Answer:

The people of District 1-A deserve the opportunity to earn sufficient income, have health insurance, retirement plans, and own a home. They deserve good school systems, sufficient police and emergency services, fair taxes, adequate infrastructure, and economic growth. I have 35 years of experience working with all levels of government to help rural residents find solutions to their problems. I will listen and work for you to get what you deserve.

## State Senator/Dist. 1

**BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION:** Include education, experience, and background which you consider pertinent to the office you are seeking? (Limit 50 words)

Why do you think that you are the best candidate for this position? (Limit 75 words)

### THOMAS F. CONLON

#### Party: Democrat

#### Background:

Born 10/10/24. Elementary 1-8 Sts. Peter and Paul Cumberland. Graduated 6/42 LaSalle Institute High School, Cumberland. Inducted US Army 3/43, Military Police. Reopened Conlon Travel 3/46. Joined 115 Infantry Regiment MD National Guard 1947. Elected to MD House 1959 – served in sessions 1960/61/62/63. Mayor of Cumberland 6/66 thru 6/74, completed....

#### Answer:

It is important that "Mountain Maryland" District One be represented vigorously and that state and federal agencies be made aware of our unique advantages. The impression too often received in coastal Maryland is that Western Maryland is a little west of Frederick. Road building and upkeep suffer from geographic challenges that state officials must recognize when planning budgets.

### GEORGE C. EDWARDS

#### Party: Republican

#### Background:

Graduated from Northern High School and cum laude from Fairmont State College with B.S. Degree in Business Administration. Served four years Grantsville Town Council; Garrett County Commissioner; 24 years House of Delegates. Business owner. Served in Maryland National Guard. Lay Leader St. Paul's United Methodist Church. Member of many organizations.

#### Answer:

Experience in elected office and community involvement. Proven leadership ability as Delegation Chairman of Western Maryland, Allegany and Garrett counties. Elected Minority Leader. Voted 11th most effective Delegate out of 141 for this term by the *Gazette/News*. Chairing several subcommittees and being on many task forces and committees. I have been able to bring back millions of our tax dollars and have helped a lot of people. Supported the 10% income tax cut.

### JOHN "ROSS" SINES

#### Party: Republican

#### Background:

I have been a lifelong resident, voter and tax payer of Garrett County. After graduating from high school, I entered the college of hard knocks where I was responsible for my actions. I have worked with the land and the people all my life. I also served one term as county commissioner.

#### Answer:

I learned long ago to deal with a problem in an intelligent and timely manner by giving straightforward answers. If elected, I will work for term limits for law makers and county commissioners, repeal of the flush tax, restoration of the farmers rights to do with their lands as they see best, and publishing the salaries of elected officials prior to filing time for the various offices. I will work to lighten the restrictions and....

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## Governor, Lt. Governor

(Limit 50 words per question)

**BACKGROUND:** What education and life experiences qualify you to hold this office?

1. **HOUSING:** With federal money drying up for affordable housing, should the state fill the gap? Explain. (Limit 50 words)

2. **TRANSPORTATION:** What are the criteria you use to decide what is an effective transportation project to receive some of the funding available?

3. **EDUCATION:** How would you work with local governments to solve the crisis in public school education affecting many Maryland communities?

4. **REDISTRICTING:** Should Maryland continue to use a redistricting process controlled by the Governor or should another system, such as relying on the legislature, the department of legislative services, or an independent commission be put in place?

5. **CHILDREN'S SERVICES:** Would programs for low income children be a priority in your administration? Explain.

6. **PUBLIC FUNDING FOR CAMPAIGNS:** Do you support a voluntary system, which would publicly fund campaigns for the General Assembly and set spending limits for those who qualify for the system? Why? Why not?

### Lt. Governor Questionnaire

**BACKGROUND:** What education and life experiences qualify you to hold this office?

### CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR

#### ROBERT L. EHRLICH JR.

#### Party: Republican

#### Background:

My working-class background taught me the importance of opportunity. I have spent my career as an attorney, member of the House of Delegates and Congress serving the citizens of Maryland. My years in public service guided my Administration's priorities of affordable education, quality healthcare and a healthy Chesapeake Bay.

#### Housing:

Yes. Since 2003, I have invested more than \$2.5 billion for housing and community development across Maryland. My FY 2007 budget increased funding for rental housing programs to \$20.8 million and helped 3,200 families become homeowners with loans amounting to \$355 under the More House 4 Less Program.

#### Transportation:

My Administration increased long-range transportation funding from \$10 billion to \$13 billion. There are 120 new projects in development, including the expansion of I-95, improvements to the Baltimore Beltway, and the Green Line Metro extension to Fort Meade. When considering projects, we consider cost-effectiveness and impacts on safety and congestion.

#### Education:

State and local leadership must work together to ensure our children receive a quality education. My Administration's commitment is evident by the State's increased investment in grades K-12 by more than \$1 billion. Further, intervention is needed where the schools are failing our children, as in Baltimore City.

#### Redistricting:

Recalling the legally questionable practices of Senate President Mike Miller that marred the last redistricting process, I support the concept of an independent commission. Many citizens share my concerns that any commission must be constituted in a way to avoid the dangers of a partisan proposal from the state legislature.

#### Children's Services:

Providing opportunities to vulnerable children is a priority for my Administration and will remain so in my second term. With this commitment, we developed the "More For Maryland Opportunity Compact", an innovative public/private initiative that funds flexible, best-practices solutions to problems faced by low income children and their families.

#### Public Funding For Campaigns:

I will not support the creation of a system that places the burden of funding campaigns on Marylanders whether it is voluntary or not. This would require the upfront investment of taxpayers' dollars that would be better used to continue bolstering education, healthcare, education, and Bay restoration efforts.

### CANDIDATE FOR LT. GOVERNOR (with Ehrlich)

#### KRISTEN COX

#### Party: Republican

#### Background:

As a child, I learned the value of education from my mother who was a teacher and raised me for years as a single mother. As a young adult, my blindness taught me the importance of opportunity, innovation, and the empowerment obtained by effective government programs and services. As an advocate and a professional, I understand the relationship between the legislative and executive branches and the need for a well-rounded approach to governance. As a mother, I am committed to providing Maryland families with quality education, access to affordable healthcare and the necessary tools to thrive in our competitive economy.

### CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR

#### MARTIN O'MALLEY

#### Party: Democrat

#### Background:

As Mayor of Baltimore, I have worked with the citizens of this great city to improve safety, education, and create economic development. We have reduced violent crime by nearly 40% by bringing police and neighborhoods together and through thoughtful, intelligent policing. We instituted full-time kindergarten, and started a pre-K program....

#### Affordable Housing:

Yes. Maryland needs a strong leader who will stand up for Maryland families through affordable housing, rather than let narrow special interests harm our families. If elected, I will create a statewide affordable housing fund to support development projects that guarantee affordable housing for low and moderate-income families.

#### Transportation:

(No answer given.)

#### Education:

Maryland's local school boards need a strong state partner to provide funding, support, and resources. I am committed to work to fully fund the entire Thornton Commission plan, including the Geographic Cost of Education Index, which Bob Ehrlich has refused to fund. Through the long-term recommendations of the commission....

#### Redistricting:

Maryland's constitution specifically lays out the law that governs the redistricting of the state after a census, and I believe that the procedures that are now in place will lead to a fair electoral map. Although Maryland's last experience with redistricting was unfortunate, I am committed to follow....

#### Children's Services:

Yes. Although the State Children's Health Insurance Program (SCHIP) offers protection to children of families

earning up to 300% of the federal poverty line (only New Jersey has a higher maximum income for coverage), 17 states have a greater percentage of insured children than Maryland. In 2004, there were....

#### Public Funding For Campaigns:

If given a specific plan regarding the public financing of elections, I would be willing to consider it.

### CANDIDATE FOR LT. GOVERNOR (with O'Malley)

#### ANTHONY BROWN

#### Party: Democrat

#### Background:

Delegate Anthony Brown has served the citizens of Maryland as a legislator, statewide leader, and soldier in Iraq. While representing the citizens of Prince George's County, Anthony has stood, time and again, with the working families of his district. While Majority Whip of the House of Delegates, he has championed successful efforts to raise Maryland's minimum wage and expand health care access, led efforts to protect doctors and patients through medical malpractice reform, and reformed adoption and foster care laws in our state. Graduate of Harvard College and Harvard Law School, Anthony understands the importance of good education.

### CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR

#### ED BOYD

#### Party: Green

#### Background:

I have no political pedigree. I was not groomed for serving corporate masters and contributors like my opponents. I learned to live and respect life in the streets of Liberty City, Miami, in the US Navy, and years past on the streets as a homeless vet.

#### Housing:

Yes. There is enough revenue available if our largest corporations paid their income taxes. Ending corporate welfare as we know it can help alleviate many of our funding problems in Maryland. Let's create incentives for turning empty houses into homes, not half million dollar condos for the most affluent.

#### Transportation:

(No answer given.)

#### Education:

First, release the funds court-ordered for Baltimore City. Allow each local school board to be elected. Provide trade apprenticeship programs for students unable or unlikely to go to college. Take the emphasis OFF high stakes testing and put it more into real learning.

#### Redistricting:

Take away the raw power of redistricting from those who benefit from it. Rely on an independent commission.

#### Children's Services:

Yes. Low income children and families suffer the most in Maryland and have the most needs. With a Single Payer health care system (universal and based on choice), paid by all, Marylanders will have fair and easy access to health care. Good health and nutrition result in better learning.

#### Public Funding For Campaigns:

There needs to be a cap on funds spent on campaigns to even out the playing field. Remove corporate, union and PAC money from campaigns altogether. Serious, and real election reform is needed to give every serious contender a fair shot at serving Maryland. Million dollar campaigns insults us all.

### CANDIDATE FOR LT. GOVERNOR (with Boyd)

#### JAMES JOSEPH MADIGAN

#### Party: Green

#### Background:

Citizens need leadership that best understands their daily problems. I grew up in rural east Baltimore County, a son of a steelworker and a school bus driver. I am one among 6 children, raised to believe to that we are responsible for the well-being of others. I attended Loyola College in Maryland. My Jesuit influenced education sharpened my vision of universal justice and social responsibility for citizens of all backgrounds. My role will be to assist the Governor in restoring humane governing to average Marylanders, and will harness state resources to that end.

### CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR

#### CHRISTOPHER A. DRISCOLL

#### Party: Populist

(No reply received.)

### CANDIDATE FOR LT GOVERNOR (with Driscoll)

#### ED ROTHSTEIN

#### Party: Populist

(No reply received.)

## Attorney General

**BACKGROUND:** What education and life experience qualify you to hold this office? (Limit 100 words)

### DOUGLAS S. GANSLER

#### Party: Democrat

#### Background:

As Montgomery County's top prosecutor, I have served the people for the last eight years by going after criminals, defending consumers from corporate fraud, holding polluters accountable, fighting gang activity in schools, and looking out for seniors. Those efforts have been recognized for their innovation, effectiveness, and for helping our communities succeed. Before that, I served as a prosecutor in the Clinton Justice Department, litigated in private practice, and clerked for Maryland's highest court. I graduated from Yale, received my law degree from the University of Virginia, and have been a member of the Maryland bar since 1989.

### SCOTT L. ROLLE

#### Party: Republican

#### Background:

For the last twelve years, I have been State's Attorney for Frederick County, where I have vigorously protected our children and secured the longest sentence for a child sex offender in the history of Maryland. I have led the fight in our State to combat sex offenders, the growing threat of gangs, and gun violence. I currently serve as Captain in the United States Army Reserve. As a husband and father of three children, I know the issues that Maryland families face, and I have the necessary will to protect our communities, families, and children.

### STUART O. SIMMS

#### Party: Democrat

#### Background:

A graduate from Dartmouth College and the Harvard University School of Law, I have devoted more than thirty years to making Maryland's neighborhoods safer and its communities stronger as a public servant and as an attorney. I began my legal career as a litigator with a Baltimore law firm and then spent two years as staff counsel to US Senator Paul Sarbanes, before joining the Baltimore State's Attorney's office. In 1983, I was appointed Deputy State's Attorney for Baltimore. In 1987, I was appointed State's Attorney and was twice reelected, serving as the City's top prosecutor for the largest....

## Comptroller

(Limit 100 words)

**BACKGROUND:** What education and life experiences qualify you to hold this office?

### STEPHEN N. ABRAMS

#### Party: Republican

#### Background:

I have both a law degree and business degrees in economics. During my 9 years as a Rockville City Councilman and 10 years of service on the Montgomery County Board of Education I have chaired the Board's audit committee and am well versed in pension and bond rating issues. During the first Bush Administration where I served as a Deputy Assistant Secretary of Agriculture I was responsible for and managed agencies involving all domestic food assistance, nutrition education and school and infant feeding programs, multi-billion dollar programs that were the largest within the Department. I have also served as Counsel....

### BOB AUERBACH

#### Party: Green (General election ballot only)

#### Background:

My undergraduate major was political science, graduated from N.Y.U. in 1948. My masters is in Library Science, M.A. (L.S.) Peabody (now part of Vanderbilt), 1956. Since then I have been a librarian working with books and people in all fields. Traveled in 46 states and 21 countries on four continents. Because I have held office in the Green Party and other parties, I'm in Who's Who in American Politics and Who's Who in America. For 33 years I lived in New York, financial capital of the country. Like the present comptroller, I have no real background in auditing or accounting.

### PETER FRANCHOT

#### Party: Democrat

#### Background:

For over twenty years as a Delegate in Annapolis, I fought hard for core Democratic values: Investing in public education, protecting our environment from overdevelopment, ensuring access to quality healthcare and creating opportunities for Maryland's working families. I will restore integrity and independence to the office. As Comptroller I will be a strong fiscal watchdog for the state and an independent voice on the Board of Public Works. I will protect our public lands from overdevelopment, help expand access to affordable healthcare, and ensure state revenues are accurately reported so the budget will NEVER have to make dramatic cuts....

### ANNE M. MCCARTHY

#### Party: Republican

#### Background:

Both my education and professional experience have focused on business, financial management, and leadership. I have a BA in Economics (Georgetown University), an MBA with concentration in accounting (University of Connecticut), and a Ph.D. in strategic management (Purdue University). In the mid 1980s, I owned my own business and with two partners renovated historic properties through a combination of limited partnership funds and construction loans. For the past four years, I have been dean at the University of Baltimore Merrick School of Business and responsible for developing and implementing a strategic plan, securing re-accreditation, fundraising and managing a state budget.

### JANET S. OWENS

#### Party: Democrat

#### Background:

I grew up on a farm in southern Anne Arundel County where I learned values that still guide me today. I obtained my BA and Masters degrees and completed all requirements for a doctorate degree except for the dissertation. My life experience ranges from the management of large agencies dealing with criminal justice, housing and aging, to being elected as Anne Arundel County Executive. In these eight years, I have funded teachers and school construction at unprecedented levels, expanded senior programs, and preserved 10,000 acres of land. I have proven fiscal responsibility with billion dollar budgets....

### WILLIAM DONALD SCHAEER

#### Party: Democrat

#### Background:

My entire career in public service has been dedicated to serving people. I have held the positions of Comptroller and Governor of Maryland, Mayor of Baltimore, and President and member of the City Council. My record of achievement and of never betraying my public trust is well known. As Comptroller, my Office has recovered hundreds of millions of dollars of taxes owed to the State, has made sure that tax collection was fairly and uniformly done, and has made it possible for easy payment of taxes online. I'm as dedicated to public service as I was the first time....

### MARK M. SPRADLEY

#### Party: Republican

#### Background:

I have relevant educational and practical experience in financial services entrepreneurship, and oversight of organizations. I am prepared to implement solid financial oversight and prudent investment strategies, and enhance programs to help people finance milestones (home ownership, college education, and retirement). I am committed to environmental protection and economic development to improve the business climate for employers. Financial services experience: Exec VP, Mazao Capital; VP, UBS Financial Services; and Financial Advisor, Legg Mason. Management oversight experience: Senior VP, Merritt Group; Special Assistant, Grace Commission; and various non-profit boards. Education: BS, Howard University, MBA, TRIUM (9/2006).

### GENE ZARWELL

#### Party: Republican

#### Background:

U of Wis graduate, retired Army LTC, and CEO of several corporations in diverse industries on 3 continents where I audited agencies, individuals, and Corporate Divisions for fraud, waste and abuse, all this to create positive fiscal and military strategies in evolving global markets. Using Internet capabilities, Gene "EZ" offers ethical and legal compliance CE in eight states. Intimately familiar with immigration law, judicial fraud, ID theft, and email spam. Proposed election reform that will work to make all registered voters accountable. You can read more about me and my positions at [www.gzarwell.com](http://www.gzarwell.com). Opinions at [Coffeetalks] link.

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## Representative in Congress

**BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION:** Education, experience, and background information which you consider pertinent to the office you are seeking. (Limit 50 words)

**QUESTION:** Why do you think that you are the best candidate? (Limit 75 words)

**ROSCOE G. BARTLETT**

**Party: Republican**

**Background:** I have been elected seven times to represent the Sixth District of Maryland in the U.S. Congress. Conservative, taxpayer and business organizations confirm that I have consistently voted for less taxes, less spending, less regulations, and to protect life and Americans' Constitutional rights.

**Answer:** (Did not respond to local question. Go to the online Voters' Guide at [www.1wvmd.org/vg](http://www.1wvmd.org/vg) to access Roscoe Bartlett's answers to questions posed by the League of Women Voters of Maryland.)

**ANDREW DUCK**

**Party: Democrat**

**Background:**

I was raised in Myersville Maryland as the 15th of 17 children. I served 20+ years in the United States Army serving first in Bosnia and then on the ground in Iraq in 2001. I have served in military intelligence and hold a Bachelor's Degree in Public Administration.

**Answer:** We are a country at war. We need leaders in Washington who understand how to defend this country and care more about the country than putting money in their friends' pockets. My 20+ years in the military have instilled in me the value of taking care of each other, the value of community. We need to fix our Health Care system, end our dependence on foreign oil, and balance the budget. I will do that.

**BARRY J.C. KISSIN**

**Party: Democrat**

**Background:**

Economics and Law degrees. Peace, justice, environmental activist. Varied work experience, including farm, factory, construction. Practiced law for past 25 years. Believe in oneness of humankind. Believe it's urgent that Federal government be transformed to act in the best interest of the whole instead of the rich and powerful few.

**Answer:** We are sliding into bankruptcy, environmental collapse, world war and fascism, while the rich get richer. I am the only candidate declaring that we must speedily terminate our illegal occupation of Iraq. And we must redirect our focus and our resources toward the priorities of single-payer universal health care, properly financed public school education, and protection of our fragile, very threatened environment. Please see my Platform, speeches and published articles at [www.kissinforcongress.com](http://www.kissinforcongress.com).

**ROBERT E. KOZAK**

**Party: Green (General election ballot only)**

**Background:**

Robert Kozak is President of Atlantic Biomass, a bioenergy company in Frederick. He was the first graduate of GWU's Environmental Science Program and led his Ph.D. Corps fisheries group. He worked for over 25 years on environmental issues for entities including Washington Council of Governments, Sun Electric, and Mexico City.

**Answer:** The 6th District deserves a Congressman who has the independence, knowledge, and energy to help Western Maryland take control of its future. Converting the US energy economy to a "home-grown" future offers Western Maryland the chance for economic renewal. To ensure that local Maryland individuals and co-ops own these businesses is my goal. I have the business and government expertise, as well as the competitive drive to help make this a reality for Western Maryland.

**JOSEPH T. KRYSZTOFORSKI**

**Party: Republican**

**Background:**

Joe has a long list of accomplishments including company start-ups, growing businesses and generating gains in shareholder value, as well as creating jobs. He is a Retired Executive, Management Consultant, Entrepreneur, Certified Teacher and Educator with 28 years experience spanning healthcare, banking, financial services, and the political area.

**Answer:**

I like many of you have become disillusioned with how we are represented in Washington. A government of the people, by the people, and for the people has become an allegory in politics. What we have is a government of the special interest groups, by the special interest groups, and for the special interest groups, supported by career politicians who manipulate the system in support of their own career interests, as evidenced by recent events....

## U.S. Senator

**Republican Party**

(Limit 50 words per question)

**BACKGROUND:** What education and life experiences qualify you to hold this office?

1. **ENERGY:** What actions should the Federal Government take to reduce dependence on fossil fuels?

2. **HOUSING:** What role should the Federal Government play in providing affordable housing?

3. **IMMIGRATION:** What sort of immigration policy do you support?

4. **FOREIGN POLICY:** How can the U.S. best deal with international terrorism?

5. **HEALTH CARE:** What proposals do you support, if any, to provide a basic level of quality health care at an affordable cost to all U.S. residents?

6. **EDUCATION:** The No Child Left Behind Act comes up for reauthorization in 2007. What changes do you think are needed that will help the Act's intended beneficiaries, low income and minority students?

**RAY BLY**

**Party: Republican**

(No reply received.)

**EARL S. GORDON**

**Party: Republican**

**Background:**

Born in Jamaica. Migrated to US in 1978. Attended college in Canada and Pennsylvania, studied Mathematics, Land Surveying, Accounting, and Facility Management (with Honors for academic achievement). Was taught by people who were some of Great Britain's best universities and military colleges in political science, economics, international security matters....

**Energy:**

The federal government is virtually powerless to curtail this nation's dependence on fossil fuels without first taking

steps to transform our socio-economic infrastructure. Our economic system would collapse if the government should disturb the influence of fossil fuels. Our government should start the process of constructing an appropriate socio-economic infrastructure....

**Housing:**

The Federal Government should play a very major role in helping to provide affordable housing to its citizens: (a) by constructing a building construction agency within HUD to build low income housing throughout the nation, or (b) by providing poor citizens with special housing vouchers to make down payments....

**Immigration:**

The United States is lacking an appropriate refugee policy to deal with people displaced by the socio-economic disaster created by the pro-American Neo Cons brutal military-political dictatorships in Central and South America over the past years. The United States should treat these refugees with respect and human dignity....

**Foreign Policy:**

Unless America acknowledges the fundamental reasons for terrorism and acts with a sense of human decency and military restraint, the so-called war on terror will be with us for a long time and will become more deadly and disruptive. Simply put, the policies of this administration on its war on....

**Health Care:**

a) I support a national health care plan that can provide comprehensive health care for all Americans regardless of economic status (Canadian/Scandinavian concept). B) Those who refuse to participate in the national plan would have the opportunity to choose their own plan from private health insurance providers. C) Further, if....

**Education:**

The mandate of No Child Left Behind is a neo cons political gimmick. I strongly believe that this nation can use a percentage of the proceeds of its abundant national resources to build an education system similar in nature to those prevailing in the Scandinavian countries, in England, and Canada.

**THOMAS J. HAMPTON**

**Party: Republican**

**Background:**

My life experiences have made me a determined and compassionate man who rejects pettiness, sees both sides, and stands firm when necessary. My business education has provided me with practical knowledge, an understanding of diverse people and a commitment to fiscal responsibility.

**Energy:**

The American public is tremendously susceptible to marketing and the first thing government should do is clearly convey the benefits of less fossil fuel use. We can attain lower costs of gasoline, electricity, market transportation, and packaging materials all through decreased demand and the channels to accomplish this already exist.

**Housing:**

This should generally be a state and local issue, but federal funding might sometimes be provided for economic development projects, or to help encourage smart growth, etc.

**Immigration:**

We should enforce current immigration laws to their fullest, thus tightening our borders. As for those here illegally, there is no doubt they have unfairly gained entry over others. However, I favor a plan allowing many to stay because I believe the alternative will be costly and open to abuse.

**Foreign Policy:**

Rooted in centuries of hatred for the Jewish presence in the middle-east and more recently for the American way of life, international terrorism is likely to be around for a while. Negotiation is useless without a powerful central organization with whom to negotiate. Unfortunately, American strength and vigilance are key.

**Health Care:**

I would propose federal funding incentives to states that develop workable plans that incorporate consumer driven health care choices through existing private insurers, some kind of controls on court awards and sensible, cost effective, government paid insurance for uninsured persons currently unable to afford other coverage.

**Education:**

We need to do more for these kids at an earlier age, as young as 2 years old, and somehow involving parents with those children. Plus, as hard as we work to help those who face learning challenges, we must work equally as hard to challenge our most talented children.

**JOHN KIMBLE**

**Party: Republican**

**Background:**

I am a member of ATLA, NRA, ACLU, Defenders of Wildlife, Southern Poverty Law Center. I care about all beings whether they are "Great or Small." Our language is English and unless we put someone in office who has the hutzpah to state what must be done our America will not....

**Energy:**

Our Federal Government must take the appropriate actions to lower our dependence by developing alternative fuels and engines which run on such fuels. We must also consider removing oil from open trade on the stock market and nationalize oil to be contracted through the government rather than through big oil....

**Housing:**

Federal Government must ensure that affordable housing is available by making sure that laws are enacted that protect the elderly and those on fixed incomes. I propose that all elderly and those on fixed incomes pay only one percent of their purchase price as property taxes on their primary places....

**Immigration:**

Immigration reform must be immediate and swift and without compunction if we are going to save America from the immigrant invasion. During the time of General Sam Houston and the Alamo, Santa Ana was invading the area which is now Texas. Santa Ana viciously murdered the citizens who were defending....

**Foreign Policy:**

It seems that the only thing the terrorists understand is force so the United States must demonstrate Superior force and force the terrorists into total capitulation and when dealing with these terrorists we must act without compunction. But we must not place ourselves into situations where we really should not be....

**Health Care:**

All health care costs will be deductible from a person's income taxes. This will include any and all health costs. If you are unemployed or have no money, you may apply for government health care. This will apply to all United States Citizens Immigrants who come to the United States....

**Education:**

I support the Federal No Child Left Behind Law to a degree as long as it is not a fully unfunded mandate. We must realize that teachers have a very hard time now with unruly students. It is not always a bad teacher that is the problem with a child....

**EDWARD RAYMAD MADEJ**

**Party: Republican**

(No reply received.)

**DANIEL MUFFOLETTO**

**Party: Republican**

(No reply received.)

**RICHARD SHAWVER**

**Party: Republican**

**Background:**

The study of Constitutional law and taxes at S.A.P. Westminster Maryland 12 Carroll Street (free to all) 30 yrs. military, 8 yrs. U.S. Marines, 22 yrs. Maryland Air National Guard.

**Energy:**

Encourage private company to develop auto to be more efficient; they would benefit from profit (saving tax payer money). Produce more electric from water power.

**Housing:**

None. Its the state, that should provide affordable housing, if funding is available.

**Immigration:**

Close all borders to illegal immigration. Allow only what is needed to fill vacant job on a temporary need. Immigration was to be sponsored. That way people would not be a burden on the U.S. Government.

**Foreign Policy:**

Working with other nations, having treaty, by the executive power vested in a president, being responsible for terrorism working out of their nation.

**MICHAEL S. STEELE**

**Party: Republican**

**Background:**

I was one of the first in my family to go to college - graduating from Johns Hopkins University, and receiving my law degree from Georgetown University. As Maryland's Lieutenant Governor, I have worked to strengthen education, promote economic empowerment, secure our neighborhoods and protect the environment.

**Energy:**

For immediate relief from energy costs, I support a moratorium on the federal gas tax and the diesel tax, and suspending the tariff on ethanol imports. Congress must also develop an energy policy aimed at fostering energy independence: increase fuel standards, expand tax credits for hybrid and alternative fuel vehicles.

**Housing:**

As Lieutenant Governor, I helped launch Maryland's More House 4 Less Campaign, which assisted more than 4,000 first-time homebuyers purchase a home. We must enact policies on the federal level to foster greater homeownership in America, especially those which would work to close the minority homeownership gap.

**Immigration:**

Nearly 1.2 million people were arrested trying to illegally enter our country last year. Congress must take steps to secure our borders before we can expect Americans to seriously consider proposals for dealing with those illegal immigrants already in our country and those employers who fail to adequately report them.

**Foreign Policy:**

After the events of September 11, it must be the absolute first priority of our leaders to keep our homeland secure from those who wish us harm. I will work to restore the 2006 homeland security grants that slashed funding for New York City, DC and Baltimore - prominent terrorist targets.

**Health Care:**

Our health care challenges in America revolve around access. We must increase access to affordable health insurance through Health Savings Accounts and high deductible policies, so individuals can purchase the insurance that meets their specific needs. I also support extending the Medicare Prescription Drug plan sign-up period for our seniors.

**Education:**

We must provide incentives and guidelines to ensure students are performing to the best of their abilities and are at least meeting minimal requirements for their grade level. However, teachers should be given some freedom to meet the needs of individual students and children shouldn't be trapped in failing schools.

**CORROGAN R. VAUGHN**

**Party: Republican**

**Background:**

I was born on March 8, 1966, the only son of Rev. Dr. Alfred Corrogan Daniel Vaughn and Dr. Lillian Purnell Vaughn. I was educated in Baltimore Public Schools and worked at US Airways for sixteen years. I was laid off after 9-11, and closed my business to campaign fulltime.

**Energy:**

None. The Federal Government has no jurisdiction in these matters under the Constitution. Responsible exploration and drilling for oil should be allowed in the US to all who can do so. The alliance of the oil companies, banking, and the environmentalists will be shattered by this process, leading to new....

**Housing:**

None. Any such regulations must come through and by the individual States. Citizens are entitled to Life, Liberty and the Pursuit of Happiness; no mention was made of affordable housing. The Federal Government has no jurisdiction in these matters under the Constitution, which is quite clear where true power lies.

**Immigration:**

Existing immigrations laws must be enforced. A temporary ban should be established on all immigration to U.S. for a period of 25 years. Illegal immigrants should not be rewarded for breaking the law by granting them temporary or permanent legal status (amnesty). Granting automatic citizenship to children born here....

**Foreign Policy:**

The primary obligation of the Federal Government is to limit its actions to those set out in the Constitution. Our borders must be closed. In addition to those solutions in Q3 response, the right to issue visas by countries known to be enemies of the US should be rescinded.

**Health Care:**

None. Medical care is not an entitlement under the Constitution. States should regulate medical practitioners, which will remove the onerous regulations placed on them by the federal government. This will free up medical resources for actually treating patients. The medical community should enforce its own codes, and if they don't....

**Education:**

The act should not be reauthorized. Parents are the best arbiters of their children's needs and should be encouraged by their local school system to actively participate in the education of their children. The Department of Education should be closed down, personnel placed on wish lists by seniority.

**DANIEL "THE WIG MAN" VOVAK**

**Party: Republican**

**Background:**

My educational background is a B.A. from Baldwin-Wallace College. Majors: Business, Psychology, and

Communications, earned at age twenty, the first person to accomplish that achievement. Professionally, I am a ghostwriter of movies and books for four years, and served as a newspaper editor for six years.

**Energy:**

The energy movement needs to be towards high-speed trains and away from cars. Also, there needs to be more of an economical use of wind and solar power, and less on fossil fuels.

**Housing:**

I believe market conditions should determine housing costs. The government should not interfere or skew housing economic variables.

**Immigration:**

All legal immigration begins at the American embassy of a person's native country. Our borders are out of control to the point where private individuals are more effective than the government at protecting America against terrorism. The I.N.S. needs to be eliminated or its laws enforced beginning immediately.

**Foreign Policy:**

International terrorism has always existed, though the modern media - through internet, television, and radio brings it into peaceful homes. For terrorism to be minimized, governments need to be transparent concerning their public policies. Secret government acts spawn terrorist cells to flourish through hate and prejudice.

**Health Care:**

I have believed Medicare is for older people and Medicaid is for the poor. However, it has become so blurry and the restrictions so complicated, I am as confused as you are. National health care needs to be merged into one department, not multiple departments.

**Education:**

The "No Child Left Behind" Act empowers the federal government and removes a parent's control. Decisions regarding education need to begin locally, where parent, teacher, and child gather eyeball-to-eyeball, not in the U.S. Capitol, where policies are theoretic. Bureaucracy stifles teachers' passion to teach and children's curiosity to learn.

**Democrat Party**

**BEN CARDIN**

**Party: Democrat**

**Background:**

As the former Speaker of the Maryland General Assembly and as a Member of Congress for the past 20 years, I have the experience needed to be an effective U.S. Senator for Maryland. I understand the needs of regular Maryland families and have a record of getting real results.

**Energy:**

We need an Apollo-type commitment to energy independence. I authored the American Energy Independence Act to deliver energy independence by increasing efficiency, decreasing the environmental impact of America's energy policy, increasing research and development, and encouraging affordable renewable energy. My bill would raise CAFE standards and establish a renewable portfolio standard.

**Housing:**

Too many Marylanders cannot afford to live in the communities where they work. Affordable housing must be a national priority. I oppose the Administration's proposals to cut our housing budget. I authored the Renewing the American Dream Tax Credit to provide homeownership opportunities for 50,000 low and middle-income families annually.

**Immigration:**

America is a nation of immigrants. Congress should pass comprehensive immigration reform legislation which restores the rule of law at our borders, and is fair to long-term undocumented workers who come forward.

**Foreign Policy:**

I voted against invading Iraq. We must change the course and start bringing our troops home. We need to refocus our efforts against international terrorism by cutting off their foreign financial support. We need to focus on defeating Al Qaeda, strengthening homeland security, and pursuing active diplomacy.

**Health Care:**

I support universal health coverage and voted for it during the Clinton Administration. I have worked to strengthen Medicare, Medicaid and SCHIP. I oppose privatizing these programs. I oppose the President's Medicare prescription drug plan and support a real prescription drug program within Medicare.

**Education:**

NCLB needs to be fully funded to meet its goals. States should be given more flexibility in measuring academic progress and deciding how to improve failing schools. I have introduced The Master Teacher Act to offer federal financial incentives for our best teachers to teach in our most challenging schools.

**DAVID DICKERSON**

**Party: Democrat**

**Background:**

Educated at Loyola College and Johns Hopkins with a Ph.D. in Cross-Cultural Strategic Management from Cambridge University (U.K.), USAF Reserves, Security, Police, Combat Arms Instructor, spearheaded business development for Sony and Motorola in Central and Eastern Europe, Russia and Central Asia, and worked in the Republic of China and Australia.

**Energy:**

We must be combat ready in the event of a global oil & gas shortage. Reliance Electric invented an electric car in the 70s, and then Exxon purchased them. Our best defense is our awareness of not allowing the world to take us hostage by restricting the supply of oil.

**Housing:**

Congress gives themselves a pay raise while the working class becomes the working poor. We need an equal distribution of housing subsidies from the federal government, and this will have a dramatic impact on alleviating homelessness in America. The question: Who is getting the help versus who needs help?

**Immigration:**

We need to be humane and protect our citizens and legal residents by increasing our border security, monitoring visa status, expedite working visas for business, and provide the processes for illegals to apply for temporary residency. We do not want the 12 million that are here to seek refuge.

**Foreign Policy:**

Operate like our founding fathers! We have become the red coats, and we need to be minutemen that hit and run, without CNN telling the world where we are hiding. The 9/11 Commission said our failure was in our lack of imagination, so our creativity will win the war.

**Health Care:**

I support a European system of a state and private system of health insurance that allows for free choice. We could also institute a Child Welfare Card that provides insurance for all children, up to 18, and saves small business from providing insurance to the children of employees.

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## U.S. Senator (continued)

### Education:

Provide children with an Education Voucher system that is working quite well in D.C. which will allow qualified low-income students to attend a private school of their choice. Make it first a priority to assure children of a hot meal, security and the necessary environment of respect for teachers.

GEORGE T. ENGLISH

### Party: Democrat

### Background:

My life history arising from a being raised in a working class family and my own struggle to obtain a superior education with varied and challenging lifetime employment have provided a true appreciation for working persons concerns because I have personally experienced them.

### Housing:

Surplus Social Security Trust funds now being sent to and spent by the Treasury for other purposes should be used solely for providing affordable housing mortgages for first time home buyers. Special provision should be added to prevent home owners from obtaining second mortgages and/or other liens.

### Immigration:

Immigration policy must address the demographic and economic factors behind the problem, establish secure instantaneous personal guest worker identification verification, employer surveillance, and provide for a tightly controlled non-exploitive limited guest worker only (no dependents) program with pension benefits paid in their home countries.

### Foreign Policy:

Immediately cease offensive operations in Iraq, request the United Nations organize and control an all-Moslem peacekeeping force from non-neighboring countries that would be totally funded by the U. S. Withdraw coalition forces as the Moslem peacekeepers arrive. Withdraw all U. S. overseas forces elsewhere back to American territory.

### Health Care:

A Canadian-styled single payer national health care system which covers everyone and cost half as much Gross Domestic Product to fund and operate as the U. S. non-system is the only workable solution. The wealthy could keep their boutique providers, but must pay their share of the national system.

### Education:

No Child Left Behind and Special Education are grossly under funded. Fully funding the Federal share of these programs and then restoring Federal funding for TANF and other social benefit programs are essential to address the underlying social, health, and economic causes of low income and minority student underachievement.

JAMES H. HUTCHINSON, M.D.

### Party: Democrat

### Background:

As an internist and psychiatrist I have cared for patients, taught, served in the military, led hospital teams, consulted in the public schools, done research in biology and run my own business. Marylanders from all walks of life have honored me with knowledge of their lives. My professions have demanded....

### Energy:

Earth is 50 to 150 years away from catastrophic environmental collapse. Clean, renewable energy sources and conservation are a first priority. Patriotic Americans should be asked to conserve immediately. A fully funded government/NGO/Industry effort to research our options, inform the public, develop new resources and implement change....

### Housing:

A balanced Federal budget will help keep mortgage rates low. The Federal government should be the "go to" place for practical information including "How to get your house." Federal Plans which help first time homeowners should be tweaked to lower the number who soon lose them.

### Immigration:

One that is humane, fair and firm. We are a country of immigrants. Their spirit renews us. But nationhood requires adequate border control. Less affluent Americans should not have to compete with a desperate illegal work force for jobs and a living wage. Enforcement should focus on employers, who use....

### Foreign Policy:

Treat terrorism as piracy, not war. Discredit terrorism via mass media. Renounce covert force to destabilize foreign governments. Support international law. Actively engage the overpopulation and environmental degradation that destroys states and cultures. Rededicate ourselves the pursuit of a civil, just, free, united country at home. Maintain a pre-eminent military for defense.

### Health Care:

Fully fund: 1. Environmental protection, it is essential health care. 2. Public Health resources to protect us from epidemics. 3. Educational outreach and preventive care. It is cost effective. 4. Canadian Universal Care + It will lower our costs by 1/4, improve care and free American industry in international competition.

### Education:

This program comes from Total Quality Management - a means of improving industrial production. Children are not machines. The focus on reading, writing and math leave out civics, history, arts, and athletics. Home experience before and during school are critical for education. Parents want help and should get it.

ANTHONY JAWORSKI

### Party: Democrat

### Background:

Robert Kennedy came to my university to talk to us students. Later John and Jackie Kennedy came to my hometown where I watched their motorcade. With the loss of Robert and John the people of the USA lost a great deal. That is why I want 4 changes in our country.

### Energy:

A new Federal Agency with the charter to enforce the constitution.

### Housing:

Term limits for members of congress.

### Immigration:

Voter initiatives in all 50 states (like Michigan and California). Imagine the people in all 50 states having the power to legislate the law by the gathering of signatures and voting on the ballot initiative they created

### Foreign Policy:

People in the United States should have the right to vote for President. I want an end to the electoral college.

### Health Care:

(no answer given)

### Education:

(no answer given)

A. ROBERT KAUFMAN

### Party: Democrat

### Background:

I've been an unpaid, volunteer, social activist organizer since age 16, picketing, writing letters, teaching, lecturing, getting arrested, to integrate theaters, restaurants, swimming pools, etc. As a socialist, I've walked union picket lines, opposed U.S. imperialism in Korea, S.E. Asia, Angola, Cuba, Argentina, Chile, Palestine, Iran and Iraq.

### Energy:

Publicly owned inter and intra transit to make most motor vehicles unnecessary. Public utilities should be publicly owned. Nationalize energy monopolies, which deny adequate research and development for renewable ecologically safe, cheap alternative. All power to and for the people.

### Housing:

It is painfully obvious that private industry will not build affordable, safe ecologically and aesthetically adequate middle income housing for middle and low income Americans. The federal government must do so. Together with public transportation, ending poverty and investment in education, people will choose to move back to out cities.

### Immigration:

Our foreign policy has bankrupted 3rd World peasants. They migrate here to work at low wages which beats starvation. We need a humanitarian foreign policy which allows them to live a decent life back home. Until then we must feed the hungry, shelter the homeless and establish a living wage for everyone.

### Foreign Policy:

America's terrorized 3rd World peoples since genocide of Indians and Middle Passage of slavery. Americans must recognize that American economic and political imperialism has been consistently enforced by our military aggression. This foreign policy has created counterterrorism toward us. Until we stop terrorizing them - they won't stop terrorizing us.

### Health Care:

Universal health insurance for all. America is only industrialized nation without national health insurance. Our life expectancy, 12th from the top. Those eleven nations all have National Health Insurance and on average spend half of what Americans spend on health care. Pay for it all by taxing rich and cutting military.

### Education:

Adequately fund it! School boards should be controlled by those most dedicated to education teachers, parents, student, school employees and community activists - not political appointees. These constituencies must unite and organize to make it happen. Until then we're merely rearranging deck chairs on Titanic. When we do it, nothing will be impossible.

ALLAN LICHTMAN

### Party: Democrat

### Background:

As a professor at American University I would be the Senate's only lifetime teacher. I testified as an expert in 70 civil rights cases. The Supreme Court cited my testimony against Tom DeLay's violations of voting rights in Texas. I have served as a national political analyst and columnist....

### Energy:

My proposals include stringent fuel economy standards for vehicles and efficiency standards for appliances and buildings; converting government fleets to fuel-efficient vehicles; increasing appropriations for conservation; flipping the subsidies, research, and tax breaks from fossil fuels to alternative energy; and converting electric production from coal to clean, renewable energy sources.

### Housing:

(No answer given.)

### Immigration:

(No answer given.)

### Foreign Policy:

America is truly at a crossroads in Iraq, with an important choice to make. The continuation of this war undermines the moral authority of the United States around the world, helps the recruiting of Al Qaeda, inflames our worst enemies, resulting in the death and maiming of many thousands....

### Health Care:

Medicare cannot survive in its present form as part of a broken health care system. According to a report by the Institute of Medicine at the National Academy of Sciences, "between the health care we now have and the health care that we could have lies not just a gap...."

### Education:

I support the concept of the law, but would propose substantial changes. George Bush's No Child Left Behind program is the biggest un-funded mandate in the history of the United States. The program leaves the states far short of the resources needed to improve education in the classroom....

THOMAS McCASKILL

### Party: Democrat

### Background:

Research Physicist, U.S. Naval Research Laboratory 42 years, Co-Designer of the Global Positioning System (GPS), trusted with a top-secret security clearance, and served (collateral duty) as an Equal Employment Opportunity (EEO) Counselor. Organized Prevention of Domestic Violence Seminars at his church, married for 45 years; hved in Maryland since 1967.

### Energy:

Accelerate Fusion Development to make fusion reactors for electrical power in less than 40 years, harvest frozen methane hydrates from the ocean, import ethanol from Brazil, and promote hybrid vehicles with all educational benefits as a return on taxpayer investment in (R&D) (see EDUCATION).

### Housing:

Increase minimum wage to make current housing more affordable for new families; continue promoting first time homebuyer program; give additional benefits to disabled veterans.

### Immigration:

Secure Mexican border, enforce existing immigration laws, and hold employers accountable for hiring illegal immigrants. I do not support amnesty. Help develop economies south of the border to make staying home more attractive.

### Foreign Policy:

Change the course set by the Bush Administration, from one of pre-emptive war, isolation, and fear, to one of Global Peace and Security (GPS). Stop the flow of terrorists and Improvised Explosive Devices (IEDs) into Iraq by applying diplomatic pressure on Syria and Iran. Talk with North Korea diplomatically....

### Health Care:

Remove the corporate excuse that employee health care costs too much. Add a health care premium to the cost of imported products from countries that do not have health care for their citizens. Products from Mexico would cost more and the premium would go for universal health care; No premium....

### Education:

Support Equal Education Opportunity (EEO) through taxpayer return on investment for R&D of nuclear fission and fusion for more than 50 years. Do not renew expiring commercial nuclear fission licenses. Replace with a Government Power System (GPS). Share the resulting wealth

with taxpayers as subsidized higher education for everyone.

KWEISI MFUME

### Party: Democrat

### Background:

Born: Oct. 24, 1948; BA Morgan State University; MA Johns Hopkins University; 1979-1986 Baltimore City Council; 1987-1996 U.S. House of Representatives; 1996-2004 President/CEO NAACP. I believe my experience as an activist legislator has prepared me for the US Senate.

### Energy:

The United States needs to establish greater standards of efficiency for cars and vehicles. Build mass transit that people will use, practice conservation in our homes and encourage the use of existing alternative technology such as solar energy.

### Housing:

The Federal Government should help ensure there is a sufficient stock of affordable housing in the United States. Also, the Federal Government should assist programs for first time home buyers and enforce laws such as the Community Reinvestment Act.

### Immigration:

The Kennedy-McCain bill in the United States Senate is a good starting point. Under this approach, undocumented workers are allowed to register with authorities and after background checks, be allowed to apply for citizenship. It does not allow these persons to leap frog other applicants who went through the appropriate process.

### Foreign Policy:

The war on terror can not be fought alone. The US must build international coalitions across multiple regions to address the war on terror. Diplomacy should always be the first option and military force should be the last option. The Homeland Security Dept. must coordinate with state and local law....

### Health Care:

I support a single payer plan for health coverage. Single payer is inevitable and offers business and individuals greater options.

### Education:

No Child Left Behind (NCLB) needs to be fully funded. Also, it is pointless to evaluate children and schools on how well they perform on four days of testing two subjects rather than on their long-term progress. NCLB needs to have greater input from educators and states should be allowed....

JOSH RALES

### Party: Democrat

### Background:

I offer a different perspective, developed as an entrepreneur and philanthropist. The reading program my wife and I started helps over 700 second graders improve their reading skills with volunteer tutors. It's one example of real problem solving. I know solutions are within reach, for even the most difficult problems.

### Energy:

Visit [www.ralesforsenate.org](http://www.ralesforsenate.org) to read my plan that outlines a strategy for reducing our dependence on foreign oil by 4 million barrels per day over the next ten years. We achieve this through increasing fuel efficiency standards, investing in alternative fuels, and providing incentives for using renewable energy sources.

### Housing:

The federal government should increase its commitment to providing vouchers and tax credits to assist renters who are confronted with escalating rental rates. The government needs to redouble its commitment to the Good Neighbor Next Door program, which helps first responders and teachers purchase homes in communities where they work.

### Immigration:

It's time for immigration reform that reflects our values as a nation of immigrants. I support the McCain-Kennedy bill which improves border security and imposes severe penalties on businesses that hire illegal immigrants. This bill places the focus on businesses that have been skirting the law and encouraging illegal immigration.

### Foreign Policy:

We need to focus on the terrorists themselves and not divert resources to places like Iraq where it has been established that there is no terror threat. We need to commit our resources to protecting our homeland and implementing an energy strategy that will reduce our dependence on foreign oil.

### Health Care:

Visit [www.ralesforsenate.org](http://www.ralesforsenate.org) to read my healthcare plan that requires all employers to provide health coverage to their employees, and would empower the federal government to negotiate prescription drug prices. Additionally, my plan will improve the quality of healthcare by requiring widespread implementation of electronic medical records by doctors and hospitals.

### Education:

The NCLB requires a highly-qualified teacher in every classroom, however, it doesn't provide the means for achieving that goal. Our children's education shouldn't be determined by their ZIP code. Visit [www.ralesforsenate.org](http://www.ralesforsenate.org) to read my plan, which provides strategy for attracting and retaining highly qualified teachers and fulfilling the NCLB mandate.

DENNIS F. RASMUSSEN

### Party: Democrat

### Background:

My 16 years in elective office in the House of Delegates, MD Senate and Baltimore County Executive and business experience as a business owner and serving as Chairman of Board, Franklin Square Health Systems, Inc., gives me a broad background and political experience to serve Maryland.

### Energy:

Increase the Car Average Fuel Efficiency (CAFE). Mobilize the scientific community and expand funding of R&D programs for viable alternative energy sources. We must revisit the use of nuclear energy with all the safeguards available.

### Housing:

The access to affordable housing for all Americans should be a priority for the Federal Government. Such programs as Veterans Administration programs and the FHA programs should be strengthened to allow a wider range of lower to moderate income families the opportunity to purchase homes.

### Immigration:

Close the Borders and open the doors for greater and controlled immigration. Provide a guest worker program. Supplement Immigration and Naturalization Resources to handle the increases in human traffic. Strictly enforce existing immigration laws.

### Foreign Policy:

Time to rethink our whole approach to foreign policy. The Go it alone policy of the Bush administration has been a disaster. Our influence and prestige around the world has been greatly diminished. We need to utilize the resources and the political influence of allies who can exert pressure.

### Health Care:

There are three priorities. First is to improve the system so that it can become accessible and affordable to all Americans. Second is to insure the continuing quality

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healthcare. Third is to improve the health of Americans by integrating prevention into the healthcare equation.

### Education:

We must have the Federal Government provide the full funding for the No Child Left Behind programs. Second we must develop and implement strategies to bring our schools to a world class level through providing more resources to allow our teachers to meet the challenges of the future.

BOB ROBINSON

### Party: Democrat

(No reply received.)

THERESA C. SCALDAFERRI

### Party: Democrat

(No reply received.)

MIKE SCHAEFER

### Party: Democrat

### Background:

Notre Dame, UC Berkely, Georgetown Law. Served as a senate staffer, city councilman, public prosecutor, small businessman in Charles & Montgomery Counties, and Baltimore City. Worked with Maryland leaders from Governor-Mayor McKeldin to Governor-Mayor-Comptroller Schaefer.

### Energy:

We should expand our USA search for coastal oil; we must bring the costs of hybrids and electric vehicles to the consumer level. It is a matter of personal responsibility, 'ask not what your government can do for you, ask what you can do for your government' (JFK 1961), with government support.

### Housing:

Incentives to private developers, attractive financing, opening up federal lands for such development.

### Immigration:

Tough, we must protect our borders before discussing how to deal with aliens who are here. The costs of incarcerating alien inmates providing free medical care include birth, welfare and parental support is reducing the ability of our local governments to afford it.

### Foreign Policy:

High-level visits to leaders of involved nations as is being done, proper budgeting of Homeland Security, increased vigilance by United Nations leadership and more importantly our European allies.

### Health Care:

Social security health care, A & B, works quite well, would provide some modified coverage with partial-cost monthly payment by beneficiaries, to those parts of our population who do not qualify for social security benefits. Exclude from US residents those who are not US citizens.

### Education:

Education is a city, county and state function of government, with federal support being in providing matching dollars, low-cost financing for construction, working with state and local governments. There are no easy answers and beware the candidate who has all the answers.

CHARLES ULYSSES SMITH

### Party: Democrat

(No reply received.)

BLAINE TAYLOR

### Party: Democrat

### Background:

Nothing qualifies anyone, but critical thinking and common sense! St. Ann's, Calvert Hall, Towson University. US Army 199th Light Infantry Brigade under enemy fire Vietnam, 1966-67. 12 medals, including Combat Infantryman's Badge. No veteran as Maryland US Senator since 1969! Journalist, book author, press secretary Congress, and four winning Maryland campaigns, 1974-92.

### Energy:

Turn AWAY from gas, diesel, coal, oil, and TOWARD wind, solar, water, electricity, nuclear power instead housing, work places, schools, hospitals, all other structures, vehicles, starting in 2007. End global warming, protect the earth, more green spaces, rein in on over-the-top building, development. Nationalize ALL energy sources now!

### Housing:

Federal government's housing nationally a failure! Public housing poorly managed: rape, murder, drugs in many Federally subsidized projects. Need public housing for medically disabled, more funding for job training schools local community colleges for employment. Rebuild existing, boarded up properties using local labor; build townhouses, no high rises!

### Immigration:

Halt ALL immigration January-June 2007, straighten out mess we're in, before getting in deeper. No amnesty illegal aliens; ALL must go through current processes for US citizenship. All foreign nationals MUST learn English, or be deported. Secure all frontiers: Canada, Mexico, coastlines. Deport Mexican flag wavers! Shoot invaders

### Foreign Policy:

End war terror against us, end alliance with Israel. Cut ALL foreign aid Mid East. Bring troops home from Iraq Bomb North Korea! Transfer money foreign wars to rebuild US: Marshall Plan, 2nd New Deal America. Ban dual citizenship. Execute spies, secure frontiers - all 2,007. We are a Christian nation!

### Health Care:

Enact universal National Health Insurance 2007 for ALL CITIZENS ONLY, cradle to grave. Protect environment, fight global warming, save green, open spaces: prostitution, gay marriage, abortion, all drugs on 2008 referendum ballots. Nationalize entire energy industry to serve US better. Transfer WAR funding to PEACETIME social funding.

### Education:

Single gender public schools for all. Transfer wartime funding to teachers' salaries \$100 K annually with strict dress codes, accountability all teachers, students. Students pass or fail, nothing else. Expand Pell Grant funding. Armed officers all schools, period. Jail troublemakers. Shoot killers, those students armed. Fire all incompetent employees, start over.

JOSEPH WERNER

### Party: Democrat

### Background:

Partner at Richardson & Werner a Washington DC law firm. Graduate of the University of the District of Columbia school of law (1996) Towson university (1985) Bel air high school (1979) I grew up in a working class family in east Baltimore

### Energy:

We should invest more in research and development of alternative fuels. We need to raise the fuel mileage standards for cars. Work toward the development of a electric car. Place more investment into mass transit and rail service.

### Housing:

Provide more low interest loans to first time home buyers and buyers with average incomes. Provide local governments with incentives to provide affordable housing. Research the use of new or alternative building materials.

### Immigration:

This is a complex problem that has been building for generations. There are no fast or easy solutions. Yes more border security is needed however we need to work more

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# SPECIMEN BALLOT

## DEMOCRATIC

<b>OFFICIAL BALLOT</b> <b>GUBERNATORIAL PRIMARY ELECTION</b> <b>SEPTEMBER 12, 2006 7 A.M. TO 8 P.M.</b> <b>STATE OF MARYLAND, GARRETT COUNTY</b> <b>DEMOCRATIC BALLOT.</b>	
<b>GOVERNOR / LT. GOVERNOR</b> <b>Vote for One</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Martin O'Malley And Anthony G. Brown Unopposed	
<b>COMPTROLLER</b> <b>Vote for One</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Peter Franchot	
<input type="checkbox"/> Janet S. Owens	
<input type="checkbox"/> William Donald Schaefer	
<b>ATTORNEY GENERAL</b> <b>Vote for One</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Douglas F. Gansler	
<input type="checkbox"/> Tom Perez	
<input type="checkbox"/> Stuart O. Simms	
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<b>U.S. SENATOR</b> <b>Vote for One</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Benjamin L. Cardin	<input type="checkbox"/> Josh Rales
<input type="checkbox"/> David Dickerson	<input type="checkbox"/> Dennis F. Rasmussen
<input type="checkbox"/> George T. English	<input type="checkbox"/> Bob Robinson
<input type="checkbox"/> James H. Hutchinson	<input type="checkbox"/> Theresa C. Scadaferrri
<input type="checkbox"/> Anthony Jaworski	<input type="checkbox"/> Mike Schaefer
<input type="checkbox"/> A. Robert Kaufman	<input type="checkbox"/> Charles Ulysses Smith
<input type="checkbox"/> Allan Lichtman	<input type="checkbox"/> Blaine Taylor
<input type="checkbox"/> Thomas McCaskill	<input type="checkbox"/> Joseph Werner
<input type="checkbox"/> Kweisi Mfume	<input type="checkbox"/> Lih Young
<b>REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS</b> <b>CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT 06</b> <b>Vote for One</b>	<b>HOUSE OF DELEGATES</b> <b>LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT 01A</b> <b>Vote for One</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> Andrew Duck	<input type="checkbox"/> Bill Aiken Unopposed
<input type="checkbox"/> Barry J.C. Kissin	<b>COUNTY COMMISSIONER</b> <b>COMMISSIONER DISTRICT 002</b> <b>Vote for One</b>
<b>STATE SENATOR</b> <b>LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT 01</b> <b>Vote for One</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Walt Walters Unopposed
<input type="checkbox"/> Thomas Conlon Unopposed	
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<b>COUNTY COMMISSIONER</b> <b>COMMISSIONER DISTRICT 003</b> <b>Vote for One</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> Betty M. Pritt Unopposed
<b>DEMOCRATIC CENTRAL COMMITTEE</b> <b>Vote for No More Than Six</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> Zelma M. Neary Unopposed
<input type="checkbox"/> James R. "Smokey" Stanton Unopposed
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### State of Maryland

#### Notice of Important Democratic Ballot Change

Pursuant to an order of the Maryland Court of Appeals, Tom Perez is **not** a candidate for Attorney General. The remaining candidates seeking the Democratic Party nomination for Attorney General are Douglas F. Gansler and Stuart O. Simms. A vote cast for Tom Perez will **not** be counted.

# YOUR VOTE COUNTS

**Garrett County Board of Elections**  
**2008 Maryland Hwy., Ste. 1**  
**Mtn. Lake Park, MD 21550-6349**  
**301-334-6985**



# SPECIMEN BALLOT REPUBLICAN



OFFICIAL BALLOT GUBERNATORIAL PRIMARY ELECTION SEPTEMBER 12, 2006 7 A.M. TO 8 P.M. STATE OF MARYLAND, GARRETT COUNTY REPUBLICAN BALLOT	
<b>GOVERNOR / LT. GOVERNOR</b> Vote for One <input type="checkbox"/> Robert L. Ehrlich, Jr. And Kristen Cox Unopposed	<b>U.S. SENATOR</b> Vote for One <input type="checkbox"/> Ray Bly <input type="checkbox"/> Earl S. Gordon <input type="checkbox"/> Thomas J. Hampton <input type="checkbox"/> John Kimble <input type="checkbox"/> Edward Raymond Madej <input type="checkbox"/> Daniel Muffoletto <input type="checkbox"/> Richard Shawver <input type="checkbox"/> Michael S. Steele <input type="checkbox"/> Corrogan R. Vaughn <input type="checkbox"/> Daniel "Wig Man" Vovak
<b>COMPTROLLER</b> Vote for One <input type="checkbox"/> Stephen N. Abrams <input type="checkbox"/> Anne M. McCarthy <input type="checkbox"/> Mark M. Spradley <input type="checkbox"/> Gene (EZ) Zarwell	<b>REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS</b> CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT 06 Vote for One <input type="checkbox"/> Roscoe G. Bartlett <input type="checkbox"/> Joseph T. Kryztoforski
<b>ATTORNEY GENERAL</b> Vote for One <input type="checkbox"/> Scott L. Rolle Unopposed	<b>STATE SENATOR</b> LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT 01 Vote for One <input type="checkbox"/> George C. Edwards <input type="checkbox"/> John "Ross" Sines
	<b>HOUSE OF DELEGATES</b> LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT 01A Vote for One <input type="checkbox"/> Wendell R. Beitzel <input type="checkbox"/> DeCorsey Emroy Bolden <input type="checkbox"/> Brenda Butscher <input type="checkbox"/> Dave Moe <input type="checkbox"/> Jay Moyer
	<b>COUNTY COMMISSIONER</b> COMMISSIONER DISTRICT 001 Vote for One <input type="checkbox"/> Ernest J. Gregg <input type="checkbox"/> Sidney R. Nazelrod
	<b>COUNTY COMMISSIONER</b> COMMISSIONER DISTRICT 002 Vote for One <input type="checkbox"/> Frederick A. Holliday Unopposed
	<b>COUNTY COMMISSIONER</b> COMMISSIONER DISTRICT 003 Vote for One <input type="checkbox"/> David C. Beard <input type="checkbox"/> Denny Giottelty <input type="checkbox"/> Carroll "Buddy" Paugh
	<b>STATE'S ATTORNEY</b> Vote for One <input type="checkbox"/> Lisa Thayer Welch Unopposed
	<b>CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT</b> Vote for One <input type="checkbox"/> David K. Martin Unopposed

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## 2006 Primary Election

**Tuesday,  
September 12, 2006**

**Polls Open  
from 7 A.M. to 8 P.M.**

<b>REGISTER OF WILLS</b> Vote for One <input type="checkbox"/> Joseph F. DiSimone Unopposed	<b>REPUBLICAN CENTRAL COMMITTEE</b> Vote for No More Than Seven <input type="checkbox"/> Michael H. Bittinger <input type="checkbox"/> Brandon Scott Butler <input type="checkbox"/> Edward Clemons, Jr. <input type="checkbox"/> Jeffery L. Conner <input type="checkbox"/> Bea Crosco <input type="checkbox"/> Shella Tasker O'Neill <input type="checkbox"/> Arzella T. Parsons <input type="checkbox"/> Ann L. Rebele <input type="checkbox"/> Thomas P. Sheahan <input type="checkbox"/> Ruth Hinebaugh Umbel
<b>JUDGE OF THE ORPHANS' COURT</b> Vote for No More Than Three <input type="checkbox"/> Clifford C. DeWitt Unopposed <input type="checkbox"/> James F. Margroff Unopposed <input type="checkbox"/> Wayne Wilt Unopposed	
<b>SHERIFF</b> Vote for One <input type="checkbox"/> Gary Berkebille <input type="checkbox"/> Larry E. Gnegy <input type="checkbox"/> Harland Tichnell	

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# GARRETT COUNTY POLLING LOCATIONS

<b>District #1</b>	<b>Swanton</b> Swanton Community Building. 3335 Swanton Road Swanton, MD 21561	<b>District #7</b>	<b>East Oakland</b> St. Peter's Catholic Church 208 4th St. Oakland, MD 21550	<b>District #12</b>	<b>Bittering</b> Bittering Vol. Fire Dept. 176 Brenneman Road Bittering, MD 21522
<b>District #2</b>	<b>Friendsville</b> Friendsville Elementary School 841 First Avenue Friendsville, MD 21531	<b>District #8-1</b>	<b>Ryan's Glade</b> Gorman Vol. Fire Dept. 270 Gorman Rd. Oakland, MD 21550	<b>District #13</b>	<b>Kitzmiller</b> Kitzmiller Vol. Fire Dept. 438 East Main St. Kitzmiller, MD 21538
<b>District #3-1</b>	<b>Grantsville</b> Grantsville Elementary School 120 Grant Street Grantsville, MD 21536	<b>District #8-2</b>	<b>Red House</b> Pleasant Valley Community Center 975 Joni Miller Rd. Oakland, MD 21550	<b>District #14-1</b>	<b>West Oakland</b> Oakland Volunteer Fire Dept. 31 S. 3rd St. Oakland, MD 21550
<b>District #3-2</b>	<b>Jennings</b> 32 Hare Hollow Road Grantsville, MD 21536	<b>District #9</b>	<b>Finzel</b> Rt. 40 Elementary School 17764 National Pike Frostburg, MD 21532	<b>District #14-2</b>	<b>Crellin</b> Crellin Elementary School 115 Kendall Dr. Oakland, MD 21550
<b>District #4</b>	<b>Bloomington</b> Bloomington Vol. Fire Dept. 77 North Branch Ave. Bloomington, MD 21523	<b>District #10</b>	<b>Deer Park</b> Deer Park Vol. Fire Dept. 5353 Maryland Highway Oakland, MD 21550	<b>District #15</b>	<b>Avilton</b> Mt. Zion United Methodist Church 16864 National Pike Frostburg, MD 21532
<b>District #5</b>	<b>Accident</b> Accident Vol. Fire Dept. 109 S. South St. Accident, MD 21520	<b>District #11</b>	<b>Elbow</b> Savage Mtn. Youth Center 164 Freedom Lane Lonaconing, MD 21539	<b>District #16</b>	<b>Mtn. Lake Park</b> Dennett Rd. Elementary School 770 Dennett Rd. Oakland, MD 21550
<b>District #6</b>	<b>Sang Run</b> Garrett College Continuing Ed. 687 Mosser Rd. McHenry, MD 21541				

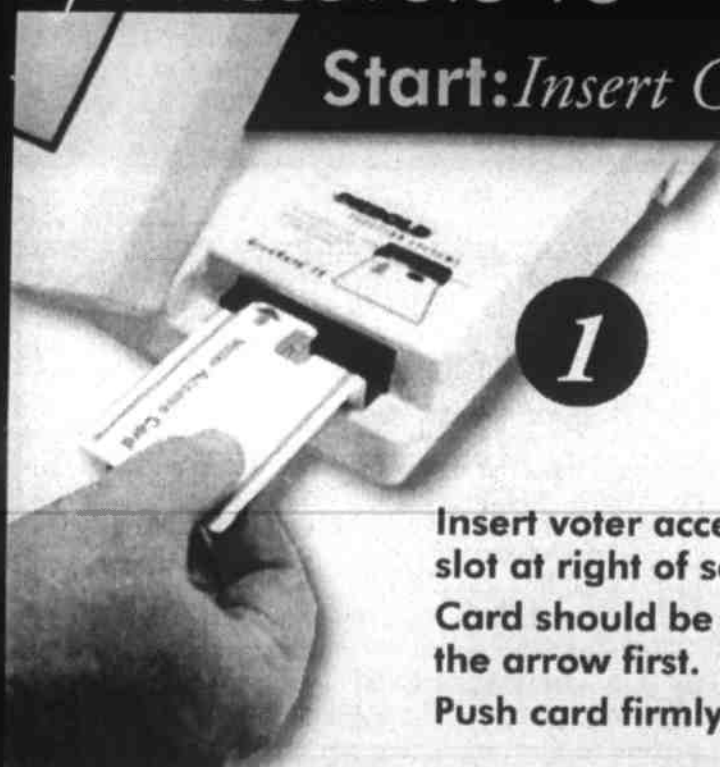
## Voting Instructions for AccuVote-TS™

If you need assistance, please contact the Chief Election Judge.

Voters requiring special assistance and disabled voters: Maryland's new voting system provides audio and magnified ballots. Ask your election judge about these voting options.

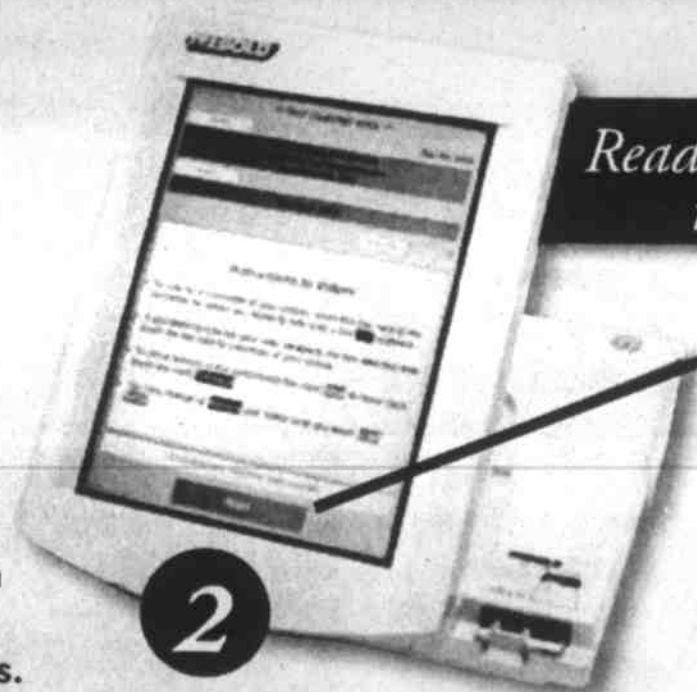


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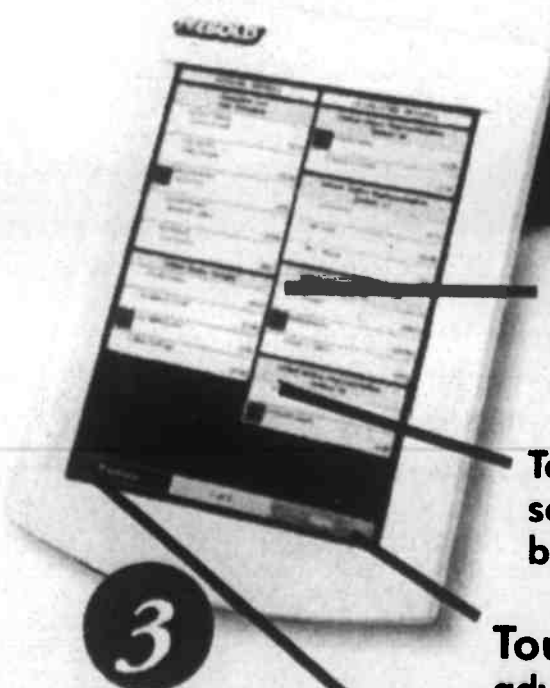
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Insert voter access card into slot at right of screen.  
Card should be face up with the arrow first.  
Push card firmly until it clicks.

### Read "Instructions to Voters"



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Touch "Start" to access ballot.

### Select Candidates or Questions



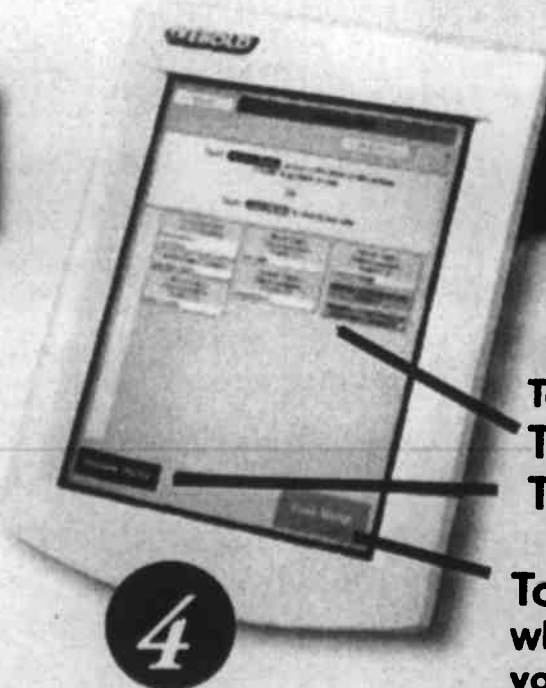
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Touch the box next to the candidate or question of your choice.

To change or cancel your selection, touch the box again.

Touch "Next" to advance the ballot page.

Touch "Previous" to go back.

### Review & Cast Ballot



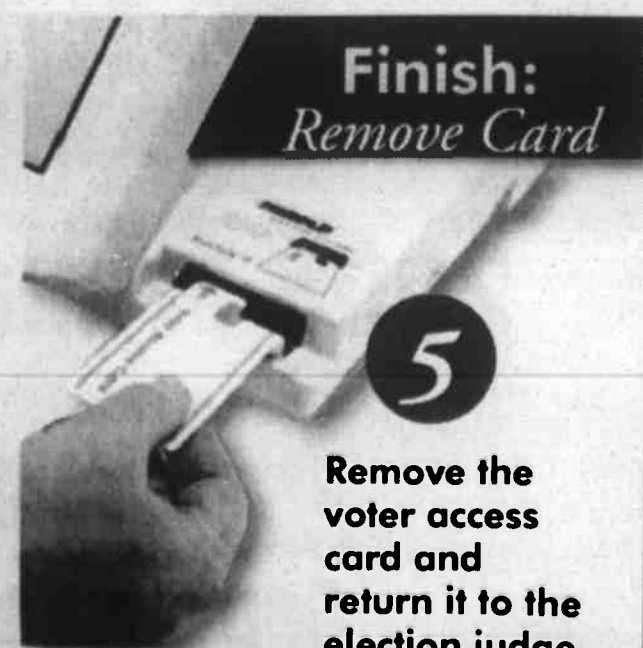
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On Summary Page, review your choices.

To go back, Touch a contest or Touch "Review Ballot."

Touch "Cast Ballot" when ready to record your vote.

Once your ballot is "cast," you may not vote again.

### Finish: Remove Card



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Remove the voter access card and return it to the election judge.

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## Candidates Address Business Issues

Sponsored by the Garrett County Chamber of Commerce

The Garrett County Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors, representing the business community, has compiled the following list of questions for the candidates to help the electorate make a more informed decision at the polls on September 12. Limiting the length of their responses to accommodate publication space, all candidates answered the questions and agreed to share their comments with the voters of Garrett County. The Chamber Board of Directors appreciates the participation and cooperation of each candidate.

Jimmy Flanigan, Jr., Chairman  
Board of Directors  
Garrett County Chamber of Commerce

**2006 Candidates for Sheriff**  
Gary Berkebile, Republican  
Larry E. Gnegy, Republican  
Harland Tichnell, Republican

### Questions for Sheriff

**1. What do you think is the biggest public safety problem confronting Garrett County law enforcement today and how would you address this problem?**

**Berkebile:** Our greatest public safety issue is drugs. Illegal substances ruin lives and detract from our quality of life. Crimes such as theft and even murder often connect to drugs. Keys to control are education through community involvement and presence of Sheriff's Office personnel within schools, demonstrated by our WINNERS Program, and strict enforcement as demonstrated by our Narcotics Task Force.

**Gnegy:** Distribution and use of illicit drugs induces the commission of other crimes including assaults, thefts, burglaries and family violence. To stop the use of drugs, we need to interrupt the flow from the source and focus upon those bringing drugs into our communities. This can be accomplished through clandestine operations, use of informants and coordination with state and federal agencies.

**Tichnell:** Abuse of drugs and alcohol are a problem in themselves but can also lead to other serious crimes. Law enforcement, through cooperative efforts, must aggressively enforce drug laws and publicize arrests to make potential offenders and the public aware arrests are being made. Efforts should be made to ensure offenders will receive treatment or incarcerated whichever is appropriate.

**2. Where do you think the Detention Center should be located and why?**

**Berkebile:** We need a new detention center, the Oakland County Roads Garage location is a good one. The State has approved the location and design and committed to funding 9 beds 100% the remaining 81 beds at 50%. The detention center will prove to be quieter, more aesthetically pleasing than the current roads garage. Changing course now would waste taxpayer money.

**Gnegy:** The jail needs to be situated near Oakland where all service providers for inmates are located. The Oakland County Roads site is acceptable, as would be any alternative site within relevant distance from Oakland. The site must be large enough to house the jail and Sheriff's Office. The site under consideration is county owned and the most appropriate site studied.

**Tichnell:** I believe the detention center should be located in a rural area away from any residential areas. A complex built near an industrial site would serve best, as a facility of this type would blend in more with its surroundings. A multi-complex facility housing the Sheriff's Office, Emergency Management and the Court systems would be optimal.

### 2006 Candidates for County Commissioner

**District 1**  
Ernest J. Gregg, Republican  
Sidney R. Nazelrod, Republican

**District 2**  
Frederick A. Holliday, Republican

**District 3**  
Walt Walters, Democratic

**District 4**  
David C. Beard, Republican  
Denny Glatfelter, Republican  
Carroll "Buddy" Paugh, Republican\*\*  
Betty M. Pritt, Democratic\*\*

\*\* No response from this candidate to questionnaire.

### Questions for County Commissioner Candidates 2006

**1. What are the two most serious problems, in your opinion, facing Garrett County government and how would you propose solving them? Please be specific.**

**Beard:** Infrastructure and public safety are two problems. New potable water and wastewater systems and road infrastructure must be addressed. We are in the process of solving these issues.

**Glatfelter:** The two most serious problems are a lack of adequate paying, benefit-providing businesses and the apparent overspending on capital projects. Many jobs are minimum wage with no benefits. It is impossible to raise a family without government assistance. More assistance, more taxes. I question the building of a new detention center for its cost and the lack of comprehensive study on its location and how adequate it will be 10 years from now. Current administration will not adequately finance our

county pet shelter to meet its growing needs. Fire and rescue companies need financial assistance. Priority of spending needs addressed.

**Gregg:** Growth. This entails controlled, sustained development along with practical financial management.

**Employment:** Better paying jobs through education and training. The Commissioners Scholarship Program will help.

**Holliday:** First, increase in alcohol and drug abuse. Will continue to work with sheriff and staff to bring awareness and education to county citizens of the dangers and devastation of this problem.

**Second, affordable housing.** I will work with Community Action, Habitat for Humanity, realtors and developers to correct this situation. I feel that all citizens deserve the opportunity to have safe and affordable housing.

**Nazelrod:** I feel that the dissatisfaction and disappointment in the way the current Board of Commissioners are operating the local government is one of the most serious problems. The citizenship wants to be informed and updated as to all of the County business in the commission. I propose that the public should be far more informed than it is at present. An update by the commissioners themselves in the newspaper would be a good step forward. Open meeting hours with the public without the screening process that is now in place, whereas the citizens are not turned away and forbidden a meeting to discuss their concerns.

**Walters:** Was over on County Budget, County residents can't afford constant rates going up, need to cut out any unnecessary spending. Freeze tax rates for next commissioner term.

**2. The county budget has doubled in the last ten years and is proposed to increase 12% this year. Last fiscal year's budget was approximately \$60,000,000 and the total expenditures, however, were more than \$69,000,000. Are you committed to providing a controlled budget and lower tax bills to Garrett County residents in the future? Please explain your answer.**

**Beard:** The increases in expenditures were in part the result of planned capital projects using dedicated funds from other FY budgets. It is necessary to plan ahead for capital projects.

**The operating budget has remained reasonably constant. We look for the most effective and efficient use of taxpayer dollars without having to go to the bond market and incur unwanted debt.**

**Glatfelter:** I am committed to providing a controlled budget and providing lower taxes bills to Garrett County. I am fully aware that it is the taxpayer's money that we as a county are spending. We have a responsibility to lower taxes and examine other methods that we can help our elderly, disabled and youth afford to live here. Our county government has to find alternate methods of making additional money without increasing taxation to its residents or by increasing the operating costs to the business owners.

**Gregg:** The county budget is a structured building process. I work to provide a controlled budget while providing services our citizens expect and deserve.

**Holliday:** Presently, Garrett County is in excellent financial condition to provide the services the citizens require and to which they are entitled. I continue to strive to keep taxes to a minimum, as is evident in the elimination of the personal property tax, reducing real estate taxes by \$.036, and eliminating the beer tax.

**Nazelrod:** Yes, I am committed to providing a controlled budget and lower tax bills to Garrett County residents in the future. We are going to have to aggressively seek and bring a steady stable job base to the County. I want to help improve the life of our citizens while being able to grow small businesses and start new ones. I would be delighted to see larger business come to Garrett County and stay. This will in turn increase the funds coming into the government and help lower our stampeding budget and taxes. Let us understand publicly that it appears the County is 9 million dollars in debt. Providing a controlled budget is the first step.

**Walters:** Look at answer one.

**3. How would you help local businesses identify additional labor sources and recruit workers? What kinds of additional employment training resources would you develop? What incentives, such as affordable housing initiatives, do you propose or spotlight to keep young people in the County and working?**

**Beard:** It is not government's responsibility to supply labor or interfere with market place forces. Competition for good workers is best made by individual businesses.

**County government has never been a housing provider. We have made it easier for Habitat and Community Action to provide housing.**

**The Commissioner Scholarship Program will keep young people here. They will be doing seasonal work.**

**Glatfelter:** As a private business owner myself, I realize what it takes to make payroll, interview potential employees and meet a budget. Programs need to begin with our high school students to stress both work ethic and job skills. Bringing in potential employers to the schools would be a start and a zero cost to the county. I believe providing jobs to qualified residents first remains a priority. Having adequate housing incentives for the workers would address the age-old problem of "I would like to work here but can't afford to because of housing."

**Gregg:** County government has made the improvement and retention of existing businesses a priority. The Commissioners Scholarship Program and the soon to be implemented Technical

Training Program will be helpful. A Committee is currently developing plans to address affordable workforce housing.

**Holliday:** I will continue to encourage local periodic Career Fairs where businesses can recruit employees, etc. The Commissioner's Scholarship Program is an example of my commitment to workforce development. My present goal is to extend the CSP to include training for county students not college-bound. The Economic Development Corporation has a sub-committee researching ways to address affordable housing.

**Nazelrod:** I would like to see a Mentor program started in Garrett County. Allowing our young people to see first hand the opportunities available with good study habits and work. Close cooperation with ALL Small Businesses and find out what skills these young people need in order to make more career ready. Also, I cannot stress enough we need and must recruit industry to our area so we can improve the life of our people. Also as older citizens retire they usually have a desire to work several days per month. My own businesses have been helped by the knowledge of these people.

**Affordable housing has been and still is a major problem and as property prices rise the problem is going to get worse. As nice as the new government housing units are it is not like owning your own place. Also the revitalization of older homes in the area be offering tax incentives and searching out grants. We need to stop the cycle of educating our youth only to loose them to other areas because of lack of good jobs with benefits. Our people are our greatest secret and resource.**

**Walters:** Ask Job Services and Employment Agencies. Finish and graduate from high school, get GED if needed, continue on to a college and receive a degree to be competitive in today's workforce. Lower interest rates with financial institutions, look at Habitat for Humanity Housing, USDA Rural Housing for first time homeowners etc.

**4. A statewide effort to change the school calendar to permit a later start date closer to Labor Day is pending. Would you support that effort locally? What other ways would you offer to provide young people with job opportunities in the tourism industry?**

**Beard:** Working for a good education is job ONE for our young people! The State mandates enough public school policy! We have a county elected school board to make local decisions. Since we have more inclement weather than any other county, mandates such as these would not be wise! In this matter, I will support the local elected school board.

**Glatfelter:** I support schools starting at a later date such that it allows our employers the much needed help they require for the Labor Day holiday. Having had children within our public school system, there is room to make this adjustment. I do believe that teachers and staff should have a say in any final decision. We could get our youth involved in local tourism by having businesses mentor students. Much like the traditional community service hours, students could have the opportunity to work within an actual business and gain both experience and skills which would make them more employable in the tourism field.

**Gregg:** Yes. However, state mandated assessments are done in March. The additional 2 weeks of instruction is helpful. Also, many teachers furthering their own education are attending classes by mid-June.

**Job Fairs and Career Day events.**

**Holliday:** Yes, I am willing to support this effort when/if it is presented to the commissioners by the elected Board of Education. The Chamber of Commerce, county government officials, and business leaders are already providing forums to get the word out about employment opportunities in the tourism industry.

**Nazelrod:** This is a difficult and complex question involving many decisions makers at the State Board of Education. If the State Board of Education feels the effort to permit a later starting date closer to Labor Day it is justified and is approved by our local Board of Education I would have to go along with their knowledge and training as they are more qualified on an education issue. If a young person shows an interest in the tourism industry I again mention the Mentor Program. The first hands on experience has only positive results. Other ways is to provide education on this industry. At one time GCC offered courses on Hotel/Restaurant management. Again education is the key.

**Walters:** NO. We need to start early due to adverse weather conditions. Have local tourism businesses have an apprenticeship type opportunity for students to see if they would desire to continue with this type of employment.

**5. The Chamber consistently advocates that all actions - expressed in final form - by the County Commissioners be subject to a 30-day public notice requirement before a final vote is taken by the Board. Do you support this requirement? Please explain why or why not.**

**Beard:** Our system of government is a representative democracy. I know of no elected body that allows special interest groups to control public policy. Elections determine leadership, resulting in decisions based on voter confidence in the candidates. Maturity, education, experience and common sense should be the candidate's qualifications. Elected officials rely on professional staff to assist in the decision making process.

**Glatfelter:** Yes, the 30-day public notice requirement prior to a final vote by the Commissioners should be required. Most of our citizens have a high interest in what government is doing. Thirty days allows adequate time for research and comment on most issues.

**Gregg:** No. Impractical. Commissioners are elected to make decisions representing the people. Legal public hearings are advertised and the record is routinely held open to allow public

input.

**Holliday:** No. I have been elected to this office to make decisions on behalf of all Garrett County citizens. Many of the decisions made in our office are imminent and cannot have a 30-day public notice requirement. All changes in ordinances are duly advertised and public hearings are held for input and questions.

**Nazelrod:** I do support this requirement. All actions expressed in final form should be subject to a thirty-day public notice before the board takes a final vote. All actions should be public notice and published in the local newspaper. This will give citizens a chance to voice their opinions.

**Walters:** Yes, the citizens need to be informed prior to any major decisions being made.

**6. Garrett County is beginning its Comprehensive Plan update process. At the first informational meeting, it was noted that the contractor for the project employed a process in the previous "Lake Study" whereby a draft report shared with the public was available for comment. But the "final report" contained additions never before seen and dropped other points contained in the draft. Assuming this account is accurate, how would you proceed with the Comprehensive Plan process to address this issue?**

**Beard:** The lake study was sanctioned by the DNR. County had no involvement in the outcome.

**Commissioners have the final decision on any study recommendations. It is the responsibility of elected officials to evaluate and determine what is in the best interest of the county. We will study the comprehensive plan when completed and will evaluate the merits of each issue.**

**Glatfelter:** The additions made to the Comprehensive Plan that were not made public or other points of interest that were dropped need the review of the general public. The report should never have been accepted as "final" by the commissioners until it was indeed reviewed by any interested individual. The contractor of the document was aware of the proper sequence but evidently took the liberty to change things at will. Not acceptable.

**Gregg:** The Lake Carrying Capacity Study was authorized by MD DNR, not county government. The Garrett County Comprehensive Plan is subject to review by the Garrett County Planning Commission, and the public may submit written proposals. Finally, public hearing will be held.

**Holliday:** The "Lake Study" was sanctioned and approved by the Maryland Department of Natural Resources-not the Garrett County government. There will be constituent input and open hearings during the process of writing the draft comprehensive plan. There will be public hearings to discuss the plan before the final draft is approved.

**Nazelrod:** Assuming the account is correct, to address this issue, a public hearing would be held so all parties involved could explain the facts. If the parties were found guilty the correct action would be taken even to the point of dismissal. Probation could also be a penalty before dismissal.

**Walters:** We cannot assume anything. If there is foul play going on, this issue needs to be taken care of immediately. We need to remember that taxpayers are funding all county government actions. If somebody is not doing their job then they need to be dismissed from their job.

**7. Do you support countywide comprehensive planning? Please explain why or why not. What is your view of countywide zoning?**

**Beard:** I am opposed to county-wide zoning. I will support some selected parts of the comprehensive plan and oppose others. This is a non-issue until the report has been completed and studied by the County Commissioners' office.

**Glatfelter:** Yes, I support countywide comprehensive planning that includes the involvement of local citizens that would be willing to participate. Having a planning document that shows a three, five and ten year would allow the county residents to see what is projected, what the cost would be and show the possible funding sources. Countywide zoning needs a tremendous amount of study before any thoughts of implementing are taken. Such a project would involve every town and community along with the voice of the people.

**Gregg:** Yes. Comprehensive Planning is ongoing and occurring now. The plan is a guide of county goals and objectives.

**Do not currently favor county-wide zoning.**

**Holliday:** Yes. The county needs a plan so that we can address infrastructure for future growth. The citizens of Garrett County, as a whole, currently do not favor zoning since it is an infringement on property rights. Zoning becomes an issue when something objectionable or devaluing to a neighborhood/town occurs. If a grassroots initiative on zoning comes forward, I will consider the issue with an open mind and make a decision at that time.

**Nazelrod:** I support Countywide Planning it is essential that the citizens be involved firsthand and that their comments and concerns be addressed. I am not in favor of Countywide Zoning especially in more rural areas. These areas need to have open zoning. We need to work cooperatively with the Towns on zoning. There is a lot of confusion and in turn makes frustration I suggest that we create a simple booklet of do's and don'ts and facts that will help in these situations.

**Walters:** Yes, it is necessary to look at all facets of planning. Make sure the proper steps are being taken to enhance planning.

**I'm against it. However, I would need to see what all is involved with "countywide zoning." How is this beneficial to county residents?**

**7. Public safety, particularly fire and rescue, is a concern to the extent that services rely on volunteers and recruitment of volunteers is be-**



coming more difficult. To help finance, in part, every such operation in Garrett County and to address the increased development that strains such services, everything from transfer taxes to impact fees has been proposed. What do you see as the fairest means to support our fire and rescue personnel and their operations?

**Beard:** A recent FBI report concluded that ours is the safest county in Maryland. Fire and rescue concerns are issues being addressed regularly. Meetings between County Government and fire and rescue squads have produced basic understandings. We are aware of this problem and have been diligently addressing it. This is an on-going process; it is premature to announce a final decision.

**Glottelty:** Most individuals do not fully understand the cost of operating a fire or rescue squad operation. The cost of training and equipment is tremendous, well past what these organizations can ever hope to raise money for with dinners and drawings. The county has grown and so have the needs of our fire and rescue teams to meet this growth. Since the demand has been created to a large extent by our visitors, it seems reasonable that a percentage of the Accommodation Tax be used to supplement all the fire departments and rescue squads. We cannot continue to grow this county and not support the maintenance and funding of the very people that may save our own lives.

**Gregg:** The commissioners have approved an Emergency Services Report that addresses these issues. We plan to use general revenue funds.

**Holliday:** This has always been a great concern of mine. We have budgeted in 2007 a line item for a retirement for fire and rescue. I have proposed in the past a revenue source to help fire and rescue that did not materialize. I will continue to look and work toward identifying a source of funding for fire and rescue.

**Nazelrod:** Public safety is very serious concern to everyone. The fairest way to support the fire and rescue is to give an enhanced share of the tax dollars that we collect. Also in the near future it is going to be necessary to have a paid fire and rescue department. As we grow the demand is higher and while our volunteers are doing a wonderful job the time is going to come that the needs of our area will outgrow the personnel that we have. Garrett County has seemed to not notice that with more tourism coming in there is more need for our fire and rescue departments. We need to search diligently for more state and federal grants to help with replacement of equipment.

**Walters:** I was under the impression that transfer taxes were already in place. I would have to honestly say, I don't know but will look into this one.

#### Candidates for House of Delegates District/Circuit 01A

Wendell R. Beitzel, Republican  
DeCorsey Emroy Bolden, Republican  
Brenda Butscher, Republican  
Dave Moe, Republican  
Jay Moyer, Republican  
Bill Aiken, Democratic

#### Questions for House of Delegates District/Circuit 01A

1. In what ways have you supported the business community in the past and how will you support it in the future?

**Beitzel:** I am Chamber of Commerce member; past president of the Deep Creek Lake-Garrett County Promotion Council; founding member of Deep Creek Lake Business Association; chaired Planning and Zoning Committee of DCLBA, directed planning, design, construction and operation of water and wastewater systems in county; and initiating the elimination of personal property taxes for all Garrett County businesses when Commissioner.

**Bolden:** Provided for discretionary participation in the Worker's Compensation program for officers of Maryland corporations. Increased to 25% revenue paid to Counties from the State Forest and Park Revenue Fund. This should be increased to 40% for County and 60% to the State, especially in Garrett County. Our Economic Development Department should recruit jobs that require various skills and not concentrate on any one industry, a variable would be the Simon Pierce Glass Company. I would work to provide adequate funding for public programs such as education and public safety.

**Butscher:** As County Commissioner I brought new business and industries to Garrett County. I wrote the first invitation letter to Wal-Mart. I operate a full service Hospice. My late husband Tom Butscher brought in the local radio stations. He was one of the founders of the Autumn Glory Festival. I work and shop locally. I continue to promote Garrett County across the state.

**Moe:** I was part of a business team which successfully proposed and lobbied the Garrett County Commissioners to phase out and eliminate the business personal property tax and create a "local preference" for Garrett County businesses. If elected, I will work to increase competition among health insurance providers and guard against unjustified price increases which impact our businesses.

**Moyer:** As a Councilman for Oakland, I have looked for ways to encourage businesses to locate in our area. By continuing to expand and improve the infrastructure, we have provided an opportunity for new businesses in our area. I will search for monies that will provide funding for businesses to locate in the state, thereby creating more jobs.

**Aiken:** As a part-time farmer and a full-time advocate for agriculture and rural development, I have been a strong supporter of home grown businesses. As your delegate, I will support legislation to enhance existing businesses and attract new business opportunities for District 1A.

2. Energy — be it the price of gas or the cost of natural gas and electricity to our homes and

businesses — is a rapidly growing problem for all County residents. What is your 10-year vision of where we should get our energy and what we can do to reduce our reliance on existing sources?

**Beitzel:** We must work to reduce reliance on foreign oil and energy; need to simplify permitting process for new power plants, nuclear and coal fired, to expedite construction of new facilities; must develop state programs to encourage utilization of agricultural products and other renewable resources for alternative energy sources. As cost of oil increases alternative energy resources will become more affordable.

**Bolden:** Conservation is the key to curtail the growing energy crisis and every homeowner and business owner will do this conservation at best when their electric bill comes due. My ten year plan is to invite investors to construct a coal fired power plant in Southern Garrett Co. similar to the AES Warrior Run plant now operating in Allegany Co. This operation has been operating for ten years and each year improvements have been made technologically to improve the emissions. In order to invite the investors you provide tax incentives over the long haul. This is supposedly be offered the Wind Companies. The construction of a coal fired power plant would create many jobs during construction and when completed jobs in the coal industry and work inside the plant would be needed.

**Butscher:** We need to work on creating alternative energy sources. Deregulation has not helped us in Maryland. We need to encourage competition from alternative sources for our energy now. The use of coal and wood to heat water that circulates in our homes is one solution and it would use local produced products. We need more fuel-efficient homes and vehicles.

**Moe:** My 10-year vision includes a mix of renewable and fossil fuel based energy sources, i.e. wind, geo-thermal, and the increase of the smart use of fossil fuels such as coal gasification. When state based price controls are finally removed from electricity we should see increased competition eventually resulting in more moderate prices.

**Moyer:** Alternative sources of energy (hydrogen, nuclear, solar, wind) will have to be put on the fast track for study to see which best meets our needs to reduce our dependence on fossil fuels. More public transportation and rapid transit systems must be made available at a reasonable cost in hopes of lessening the dependence on foreign oil.

**Aiken:** My vision is to increase the supply of energy while decreasing the demand. We need to look for new sources of oil, gas, and coal as we search for renewable forms of energy such as ethanol, bio-diesel, and hydrogen. More energy efficient homes, vehicles, and transportation systems will decrease the demand for energy.

3. How would you help local businesses identify additional labor sources and recruit workers? What kinds of additional employment training resources would you develop? What incentives do you propose or spotlight to keep young people in the County and working?

**Beitzel:** We must work together to reduce and keep unemployment rates low. With low unemployment rates employers will uniformly across the county be required to pay better wages. With better wages young people will stay here rather than going elsewhere for jobs. Must utilize and expand our excellent educational resources to train employees to be better equipped to perform their tasks.

**Bolden:** Much more vocational education should be offered at the Garrett College and I would support additional money if needed to do so. I would spotlight the advantages for young people to stay here because of the healthy environment, growing job opportunities and many outdoor activities.

**Butscher:** As an employer I have always treated employees as I would like to be treated. Forget about minimum wage and pay what they are worth. That means less employee turnover, fewer mistakes, and reduced cost of training. Training new employees is expensive. We need good paying jobs, benefits, and health insurance to keep our youth working and living in Garrett County.

**Moe:** I suggest businesses recruit workers with marketing and at job fairs outside of Garrett County. They should increase their utilization of the Western Maryland Consortium and the existing unemployment office. They should push for more mentoring programs between local schools and businesses. Push for more affordable housing and work to attract new businesses that offer quality wages.

**Moyer:** With the diversity of businesses locating in Garrett County, I feel a vo-tech center needs to be built. This center would provide much needed labor skills. Better trained workers can command higher wages. The combination of higher earnings and more job opportunities will help keep our young people close to home.

**Aiken:** Quality jobs with quality benefits will help attract quality workers. We need to prepare our young people for the jobs of the 21st century and work to locate those jobs in Garrett County. Being able to live close to your employment is a valuable incentive. Vocational training is a must, and apprentice program help to recruit workers.

4. A statewide effort to change the school calendar to permit a later start date closer to Labor Day is pending. Would you support that effort locally? What other ways would you offer to provide young people with job opportunities in the tourism industry?

**Beitzel:** Our local Board of Education does an excellent job meeting students scheduling requirements, considering the challenges of severe winter weather conditions in Garrett County, while balancing the needs of the business community. These decisions belong at the local level. Creating and maintaining a good business climate is key to providing jobs. Profitable busi-

nesses grow and hire more people.

**Bolden:** Yes, I would support such a statewide effort to begin school at a date close to or after Labor Day holiday. This makes common sense. At the high school level and Garrett College develop programs directed toward job opportunities in the field of tourism.

**Butscher:** Yes, I would support a later school opening especially if the citizens of Garrett County wanted it. I would support such a legislative bill on a statewide level. Being a Farm Girl myself I would think the farming community would appreciate a later school opening as well.

**Moe:** School calendars are the domain and responsibility of the local elected school board. If parents, and faculty can agree to change the calendar I would support it. The role of a State Delegate isn't to focus on just one industry, but to represent and advocate for the district, the region and the state.

**Moyer:** I would support the elected school boards decision regarding the start date of school. We elect a board whose responsibility it is to decide what is best for our children concerning their education. Again, classes at a vo-tech center could be geared to training in the tourist industry.

**Aiken:** Of greatest importance is to assure we have an adequate number of instructional days to ensure our students receive a quality education. We need to look for flexibility in the school calendar and realize that each county and district have different needs. Garrett County's tourism industry provides opportunities for student employment year round.

5. The Chamber consistently advocates that all actions expressed in final form by the County Commissioners be subject to a 30-day public notice requirement before a final vote is taken by the Board. Do you support this requirement? Please explain why or why not.

**Beitzel:** Do not support this requirement, would prolong and delay formal decision making of the commissioners. As a former commissioner I recognize that many decisions require immediate attention. The decision making process is open to the public. Persons of interest have opportunity to comment, most decisions are not fixed in concrete, and reversal of actions can occur if required by circumstances.

**Bolden:** I agree with the requirement that the Commissioners actions in final form be subject to a 30 day public notice. A perfect example would be the decision to repeal a 70 year tax of .02 cents per bottle on each bottle sold in Garrett County. The revenue from this tax amounted to about \$153,000.00 annually. What has happened now is the non beer drinkers are paying the tax instead of the beer drinkers. Our legislators in 1935 should be commended for having the courage to place the tax on beer in the beginning when our County went wet following prohibition. At that time the cost of beer was .10 cents, the tax amounted to 20%.

**Butscher:** Yes, as a former County Commissioner I would not have a problem with supporting that. I would like to see the media cover the office more thoroughly. So many times I find a large Majority of the people are not aware of what is happening until it is completed.

**Moe:** The governing procedures for the county are the domain of the Board of Garrett County Commissioners and not the State Delegate. However, if I were a County Commissioner I would oppose such an action. For example, how could they effectively hire or fire an individual if they had to wait 30 days before a decision would be final?

**Moyer:** I could support this action provided the issues being considered do not require immediate action. All elected officials should be honest and forthright with any actions taken. Procedures should be in place to ensure the public is aware of proposed decisions and has the opportunity to comment.

**Aiken:** Yes, I support the requirement for a 30-day public notice. It is important that citizens are well informed of what actions the County Commissioners are taking and have adequate time for public comment before the final vote.

6. Garrett County is beginning its Comprehensive Plan update process. At the first information meeting, it was noted that the contractor for the project employed a process in the previous "Lake Study" whereby a draft report shared with the public was available for comment. But the "final report" contained additions never before seen and dropped other points contained in the draft. Assuming this account is accurate, how would you proceed with the Comprehensive Plan process to address this issue?

**Beitzel:** Believe that the planning process to amend the Comprehensive Plan must be totally open to public for review and comment and that no amendments should be made to the Plan until the draft amendments in final form are made available for public review and comment. The amendments should only be adopted in the form presented to the public.

**Bolden:** I'm not sure about the comprehensive plan. But in keeping with the provision contained in question #5 the plan should be brought to a public forum.

**Butscher:** It my understanding two consultants will be developing the new Master Plan. I would like to see a local committee appointed to work on the development of the plan so that local public input receives full consideration. The process, and the progress of the plan should be posted on the County's Website. We need to keep the media involved.

**Moe:** I believe the "Lake Study" the Chamber refers to was the "Carrying Capacity Study" done by the Maryland Department of Natural Resources a state agency. The final DNR report was approved by DNR not the Garrett County Board of Commissioners. The Chamber, any other interested individual or group may make their concerns known during the development of the Comprehensive Plan.

**Moyer:** If tax funds are utilized to fund a study of any kind, that study should be a complete representation of the findings. I would advocate for more than one draft and public comment prior to a final report. As an elected official, I would be concerned about changes that directly impact the areas under review without public input.

**Aiken:** The public should be informed of what is being considered in the Comprehensive Plan at all stages. It is especially important that the public have an opportunity to review and comment on the "final report". We need to develop a plan that meets the need and wants of the residents of Garrett County.

7. What are the two most serious problems, in your opinion, facing Garrett County government and how would you propose solving them? Please be specific.

**Beitzel:** 1.) Taxes and fees. I worked for lower taxes and less spending when Commissioner, initiated elimination of personal property tax and reduce the cap on property tax increases for primary residences from 10% to 5%. 2.) Loss of family farms and deterioration of family values. Need programs to preserve our farms and farmland without depriving the property owners of their property rights.

**Bolden:** One major problem is transportation infrastructure to accommodate growing economic growth. This cannot be done with knee jerk reaction or by saving if we don't spend it here then the state will spend it somewhere else. This is bad planning. Killing the "Golden Goose" by over development at the lake. Planned development and adhering to the already zoned Deep Creek watershed. Take a good hard look at the sprawl between Rt. 219 and the Glendale bridge and tell me that didn't violate the zoning code.

**Butscher:** First, our elected officials need to work to get business and industry with good paying jobs and benefits to move to Garrett County. This will help us to keep our youth from leaving and will provide the income needed to buy a home for their families. Secondly, we need to hold the line on our taxes and fees.

**Moe:** Because of federal budget cuts, there is going to be an increasing burden on seniors on fixed incomes to handle higher medical and living costs. Another problem will be balancing our long-time excellent quality of life with increasing pressure of development and tourism. I would work in cooperation with the Board of Garrett County Commissioners for solutions.

**Moyer:** Rising assessments and competitive benefits/wages appear to be the biggest concerns for our county. We need a study done that would show that true economic impact that will occur in the next 5 to 10 years. Solutions: enhancing tax credits through the Homestead Act to benefit our full time residents and continuously working to create improved job opportunities for Garrett and Allegany counties.

**Aiken:** Sustaining and encouraging growth that leads to quality employment opportunities with living wages and benefits. Keeping an affordable tax system to provide sufficient funding for necessary services and infrastructure. These are our two most serious problems. To solve them we need good planning, good leadership, and cooperation at all levels of government.

8. Public safety, particularly fire and rescue, is a concern to the extent that services rely on volunteers and recruitment of volunteers is becoming more difficult. To help finance, in part, every such operation in Garrett County and to address the increased development that strains such services, everything from transfer taxes to impact fees has been proposed. What do you see as the fairest means to support our fire and rescue personnel and their operations?

**Beitzel:** Need to hold line on requirements for education and training for volunteers. I support education and training but requirements are such that new recruits are dissuaded from coming on line. Professionals seem to be pushing for paid fire and rescue staff. Our volunteers do a tremendous job without cost to community, we need to support them in every way possible.

**Bolden:** Increase the fire tax already in place of .02 cents per hundred assessment the amount necessary to fund the fire and rescue services including Worker's Compensation Insurance for the personnel and reduce the over-all tax the same amount so that the tax does not reflect a tax increase. In this manner, everyone that owns a home pays for the insurance. This would then increase recruitment because of the insurance coverage.

**Butscher:** For many years I have thought there should be a certain number of paid staff on our fire and rescue teams. You need consistency. You also need people in the community who have the skills and talents to volunteer their services, but are happy with their profession. I believe that our current tax dollars are needed to finance these organizations.

**Moe:** I would not support an increase in transfer taxes. However, raising the accommodations hotel/motel tax two (2) percent on tourists to provide revenue for the increased demand created by the building of additional rental homes to me merits strong consideration by the Garrett County Board of Commissioners. This two (2) percent could then be earmarked for volunteer fire and rescue squads only.

**Moyer:** A portion of the taxes generated by money received from the sale of tobacco products and alcohol should be directed toward our most valued fire and rescue services. If gambling becomes a reality in our area, the revenue generated from this should also go to fire and rescue. We have grown past part-time volunteer fire and rescue.

**Aiken:** Maintaining volunteer fire and rescue services is becoming difficult. These services add value to our property and lives. For that reason, it is fair to expect partial funding through public support. Our recreational guests put an increased demand on these services. The funds to cover the additional costs should be provided by these guests.



## U.S. Senator (continued)

in the country to locate illegals, stop employers from exploiting low wage labor and find long term solution.

### Foreign Policy:

We need to work with other nations to stop the terror we now face. We need to get back the respect we lost under Bush and work with international associations. More security at our ports, borders, airports. Also we need to work with other nations to bring about peace.

### Health Care:

Provide tax deductions to self-employed and persons buying there health insurance. Have the industry be more streamlined to provide better care, lower cost. Work with drug manufacturers to cut out the middle of the distribution to save money. Have a government safety net for all who can't afford health ins.

### Education:

More money is not the best or only answer. We have unequal distribution of resources. Work with and poor, rural and urban schools. Have more teachers and less admin. Have real standards with meaning instead of numbers that the school board can play with to make bad schools look better....

LIH YOUNG

### Party: Democrat

#### Background:

Profiled in Marquis' Who's Who. Reformer, advocate, activist, super-mom, -woman, victim-turned superhuman against "fraud-crime-injustice-system." Excellent expertise, commitment. PhD econ. Producer/host, numerous tv programs, Citizen Times, judiciaries, agencies, working class, faith revival, democracy, humanity, conscience, freedom, global affairs. Prestigious certificates: High, Special Exams. Testified frequently, 3 branches, law enforcement. Congress.org....

#### Energy:

Promote merits, efficiency, accountability; no unjust practices, misleading, manipulation, conspiracy, cover-up, "official misconduct government gang- fraud-crime-injustice networks." Eliminate abuse, waste, bad legislative bills, appropriations, abandonment of resources, land, government resources to benefit a few, victimize others or general public; opposite government function; cause socio-political - election - media problems.

#### Housing:

Protect people's resources (public, private), rights, families. No unjust practices, manipulation, influence, bad proposals, hidden agenda, false excuses (public-private partnership, economic development, housing, MPDU...) to benefit/ facilitate "official misconduct government gang - fraud - crime - injustice networks" = cruel tyranny = robbery machine; continuing, on-going, expanding, penetrating; false levies, liens, garnishment, foreclosures, evictions....

#### Immigration:

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### Foreign Policy:

Support humanity, peace, justice. Respect other's cultures. Cooperate with United Nation, other countries. Oppose: horrible violent force, invasion, occupation, Dep-ri-va-tion/destruction (countries, population, properties, soldiers, resources, reputation; public, private); unjust practices, manipulation, influence, falsification, false excuses; problems (credibility, moral, mental, financial, fiscal), official misconduct - government gang - fraud - crime - injustice networks.

### Health Care:

Support universal national health insurance (all, Medi-care, Medicaid, prescription, uninsured, catastrophic); single payer (government); simple, effective, equal, quality, accountability, preventive, affordable, cost contain-ment; public funded research; not to benefit a few; public education, consumer protection. Eliminate deceit, dep-ri-va-tion, victimization, unjust practices., "official miscon-duct - government gang - fraud - crime - injustice net-works" operation.

### Education:

"NO CHILD LEFT BEHIND": abused for political reasons, siphon money to benefit few, like many legisla-tive bills; not benefit students, general, public. Prosecute/ eliminate: "official misconduct - fraud - crime - networks," waste, unjust construction, demolition; land deals (purchase, lease-in at outrageous price, abandon-ment/lease-out public property at zero or no fair compen-sation).

## Green Party

KEVIN ZEESE

Party: Green (General election ballot only)  
(No reply received.)



### SNOWY CREEK

by Hannah Jo Sines

Snowy Creek 4-H Club met July 13 for its annual family picnic at the Friendsville Town Park. There was approximately 60 in attendance. Hamburgers and hot dogs were grilled, and each family brought a covered dish.

Following the meal, the club held a short meeting. The meeting was called to order by president Drew Glover. Pledges were led by Austin Lowdermilk and Darrick Lowdermilk.

Various activities had been attended during the past month: Toby, Colton, and Jordan Grove attended the USBGA at the Garrett County Fairgrounds during the McHenry Highland Festival. Toby and Colton participated in the Showmanship and Market class; Jordan participated in the Pee-Wee Showmanship class.

They also attended the Broiler Show. Toby and Colton Grove, Derrica Friend, Jordan Diehl, Britany Diehl, Austin Lowdermilk, and Madison Gallagher all attended the Spring Livestock Sale.

Toby Grove took Grand Champion Goat Showman, first in Intermediate Goat Showmanship and second place in Market Goat. Colton Grove took Champion Junior Showman in Swine, first in Junior Swine and Goat Showman, and third in Market Goat.

Derrica Friend attend the District Livestock Show in Allegany County.

Old business was discussed. The float committee set July 18 to work on the float at Ed Glover's farm. Becky Sines was to oversee the committee. A report was given on the fair booth; the Sislers were to take care of setup at the fair. Pictures were taken in front of the scoreboard, which was one

of the community projects for the year.

The new business was discussed. The club served refreshments at the Black/White Show on Aug. 3, a sign-up sheet to work and for bake goods was passed around. The club had a dunking booth and sold pretzels/cheese at Friendsville Days, Aug. 5.

Cow patty hingo tickets were sold and leader Rick Lowdermilk passed out the fair books and reminded everyone to get their camper reservation, stall requests, etc., turned in as soon as possible. The meeting was adjourned.

The August meeting was held at the Garrett County Fairgrounds. The club had a float in the fair parade and won first place and had a picnic on Friday evening. The club also received second place on the booth for Soil Conservation. The group did very well at the fair in Showmanship and Market classes.

Those winning were: Patrick Sines, Intermediate Reserve Champion Sheep Showmanship; Hannah Sines, Reserve Champion Light Weight Market Sheep; Toby Grove, Intermediate Champion and Grand Champion Goat Showmanship; and Colton Grove, County Bred Light Weight Champion Market Goat.

Various members of our Clovers participated in the Pee Wee Swine Showmanship. They were Jordan Grove, Kendra Friend,



FOP DONATES HOG TO KITZMILLER VFD - Garrett County Lodge #99, Fraternal Order of Police, recently donated half a hog to the Kitzmiller Volunteer Fire Department. The organization purchased several hogs at the Garrett County Agriculture Fair, which are donated to schools and fire departments for fundraising projects. Pictured from left are Jim Armstrong, president of the Kitzmiller VFD, and Larry Gnegy, FOP fundraising committee member.

Raleigh Lowdermilk, and Colby Lowdermilk. Jordan Grove took Reserve Champion in the 7-year-old division.

## Dr. Nettles Set To Speak At Pleasant View's Centennial



The Pleasant View Baptist Church will host a series of meetings with Dr. Tom Nettles, professor of historical theology at the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, Ky., as part of the church's 100th year of ministry.

Nettles is widely regarded as one of the foremost Baptist historians in America. He came to Southern Seminary from the faculty of Trinity Evangelical Divinity School, where he was professor of church history. He previously taught at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary and Mid-America Baptist Theological Seminary. He is also a member of the Southern Baptist Founders, a movement within the Southern Baptist Convention dedicated to Biblical preaching and the doctrines of grace.

Along with numerous journal articles, Nettles is the author or editor of nine books. Among his books are *By His Grace* and *For His Glory, Why I Am a Baptist*,

and *Baptists and the Bible*, the highly influential volume which he co-authored with Dr. Russ Bush.

In his messages, he will preach, share lessons from church history, outline the history of evangelism and doctrine among Baptists, and compare the lessons to contemporary practices. Tom and his wife Margaret have three adult children and reside in Louisville.

Dr. Nettles will speak at Pleasant View Baptist Church Sept. 10 through 13 at 6:30 p.m. each evening. The church is located two miles south of Oakland on U.S. Route 219. The public is invited to attend.

For more information, persons may contact the church office at 301-334-8515.

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PTO NEWS  
The Parent Teacher Organization of Kitzmiller School is selling car magnets for \$10. Personal names can be put on them. Members are also selling Kitzmiller School T-shirts for \$10 and sweatshirts for \$20. Interested persons may contact Heather Berg at 301-453-3316. Orders will be taken until September 24.

VOLLEYBALL  
SCHEDULE  
The volleyball league schedule for the upcoming

week is as follows: Michael Harvey's team will play Chad's team tonight, Sept. 7; Zack's team will play Chad's team Monday, Sept.

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## Nature Connection

by Liz McDowell & Ron Boyer

School buses are on the roads again. Maple leaves are starting to show autumn color. Wildflowers such as purple ironweeds and yellow goldenrods are in full bloom. Allergy sufferers are sniffing, sneezing, and feeling pretty miserable. It must be early September in Garrett County.

Hay fever symptoms are so bad this time of year that for many folks just the sight of goldenrod seems to make their eyes tear harder. It's unfortunate that our native goldenrods have been made the scapegoat for the fall allergy season. The pollen from goldenrod is so heavy and sticky that it can only be moved by insects, not the wind. The real culprit is actually another native plant, but one that's far less showy. Since it blooms at the same time as the bright yellow goldenrods they always take the blame. Scan your landscape more closely and you'll quickly locate the real culprit, common ragweed, *Ambrosia artemisiifolia*.

Common ragweed is a member of the daisy or composite family of plants. It's generally found in waste areas, meadows, cultivated areas, and along roads. Its close relative giant ragweed, *Ambrosia trifida*, also causes hay fever, but prefers areas with moist soils. Common ragweed is an annual plant that typically grows up to 3' in height, but is reported to reach heights over 6'. Common ragweed has greenish, inconspicuous flowers, but very distinctive, divided leaves that appear almost fern-like. The leaves are



IF YOU SUFFER FROM HAY FEVER in the fall, the culprit is most likely pollen from common ragweed, a plant found in disturbed areas throughout Garrett County and the mid-Atlantic. Photo courtesy of Elk Ridge Nature Works.

aligned alternately along the top of the stem and mostly opposite each other on the lower portion of the stem. The male flowers containing the dreaded pollen are located along terminal spikes, whereas the female flowers are clustered at the base of the upper leaves. Once you develop a search image for this noxious weed it's quite easy to identify and remove from your landscape.

Despite all of the horrible allergy symptoms caused by its pollen, common ragweed is greatly valued by wildlife. Annual plants produce prolific quantities of seeds as part of their survival strategy, and ragweed seeds are especially rich in oil. One ecologist has actually gone as far as to describe common ragweed as "bird manna" since its seeds provide critical food for fall migrants and winter residents.

Researchers have reported that ragweed seeds comprise 10 to 25% of the diet of various songbirds in the northeastern U.S. including: red-winged blackbird, American goldfinch, dark-eyed junco, fox sparrow, Henslow's sparrow, song sparrow, white-throated sparrow, and eastern towhee.

So the next time you're walking outside and feel a sneeze coming on, remember that the bright yellow goldenrods are not to blame. The pollen that's irritating your eyes and nose is from ragweed. The tiny, spiny pollen grains may have been blown by the wind from a plant hundreds of miles away. But chances are they were carried on a slight breeze from a plant much closer to your home. So zero in on the common ragweed in your landscape, bag it and send this "bad guy" off to the county landfill.

### Reports from the Field:

Gus Johnson of the Deep Creek Lake Discovery Center had an unusual find in his raccoon trap earlier this summer. A small bear cub was accidentally captured and the mother bear was carrying the trap away in an attempt to rescue her crying cub. Gus wisely called for help to solve the problem. With needed reinforcements, the female bear was distracted long enough for Dave Baker to open the trap and free the unharmed cub, which ran very quickly back to its mother.

### Woman Jailed

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stopped by police for speeding and that K-19 alerted police to the presence of drugs in the vehicle.

Moyer was not prosecuted by the district attorney for a possession of paraphernalia charge.

Judge Burnett handed Pamela Ann Santos, 34, Mtn. Lake Park, one day of unsupervised probation after she pleaded guilty to possession of marijuana. Burnett suspended a 30-day jail sentence, according to court records.

Santos was pulled over after police observed her car

swerving over yellow lines in the center of the road.

The defendant was seen trying to hide a baggie of marijuana in her purse, according to court documents.

The district attorney did not prosecute the defendant for the charges of possession of paraphernalia and failure to drive right of center.

Matthew Norman Swapp, 24, Oakland, was given a \$200 fine by Judge Burnett after he pleaded guilty to possession of paraphernalia.

Swapp was a passenger in a car that was pulled over on a routine traffic stop on Wolf Acres Drive, according to court records.

The district attorney did not prosecute Swapp for a charge of possession of marijuana. Swapp was wanted in Arizona, but the police authorities chose not to extradite the defendant.

According to court records, John Clinton Friend, 22, Brandie Sue Tasker, 22, and Thomas Paul Tasker Jr., 26, Swanton, were given PBJs by Judge Burnett after pleading guilty to trespassing on posted property. Burnett handed each defendant a 30-day jail sentence but suspended the sentences. Each defendant received one day of unsupervised probation.

The defendants were stopped from leaving the Folley Run Sportman's Club property (which the club rented from NewPage) in May by a crew of workers who were repairing an access gate that had been torn from the ground, according to court documents.

The conditions of the PBJ were that the defendants obey all laws and not trespass on the Folley Run Sportman's Club property again.

Shawn Quinton Caloway, 22, Germantown, was handed set rulings for possession of marijuana and possession of paraphernalia, according to court records.

The court documents indicated that sheriff's deputy D.E. McLaughlin searched a room at Will

the presence of drugs. Marijuana, a metal marijuana grinder, and smoking pipes were discovered in the vehicle.

John Earl Raley Jr., 49, Frostburg, was handed set rulings for failure to perform a contract, acting as a contractor without a license, and theft of \$500-plus in value, according to court records.

The defendant entered into a contract and agreed to build a fence for the complainant and was given \$1,500 down payment. According to court records, the defendant failed to perform the contract or reimburse the money. The defendant was ordered not to engage in similar behavior.

Edward Clay Villareal, 54, Grantsville, received a set ruling from Judge Burnett for disorderly conduct in an incident that occurred in Friendsville in March.

Villareal snatched a bottle of prescription medication from the victim's hand and then ran from the Sugar Shack Bar. The police later found Villareal at the bar highly intoxicated and abusive and charged him with disorderly conduct and misdemeanor theft.

Roger Dale Piper Jr., 34, Oakland, was given a set ruling by Judge Burnett for possession of marijuana.

Members of the Garrett County Sheriff's Office and the Garrett County Narcotics Task Force executed a search and seizure warrant at defendant's home at 122 Wayne Harvey Road and discovered marijuana and drug paraphernalia.

Judge Burnett handed Mary Grace Hauris, 20, Manassas, Va., and James Henry Foster III, Richmond, Va., set rulings for possession of marijuana and possession of related paraphernalia, according to court records.

Court documents indicated that Hauris and Foster were passengers in a car that was pulled over by sheriff's deputy for a traffic violation in April. A drug detection unit was called to the scene, and K-9 Bach, a certified drug detection canine, gave a positive alert to

the presence of drugs. Marijuana, a metal marijuana grinder, and smoking pipes were discovered in the vehicle.

Officers allegedly found marijuana and related paraphernalia in the car, and Devore then failed a sobriety test.

Robert Shawn McKeever, 36, Waynesburg, Pa., was not prosecuted for trespassing on private property and second-degree assault.

In the same case, David Fred Clark, 39, Oakland, was not prosecuted for second-degree assault. The incident occurred at Clark's home in Oakland, and each defendant filed counter charges.

Mark Antony Koorsen, 27, Richmond, Va., was not prosecuted for allegedly carrying a handgun in a vehicle. After Koorsen was stopped for speeding in May, he allegedly told the officer that he had a handgun in the vehicle with a permit to carry a handgun from Indiana.

Michael Carter Harpold, 34, Mount Savage, was not prosecuted for alleged indecent exposure, drinking an alcoholic beverage in a retail area, and resisting arrest.

Kristan Rose Bittinger, 24, Grantsville, was not prosecuted for first-degree burglary, two counts of first-degree assault, two counts of second-degree assault, and two counts of reckless endangerment.

All the charges stemmed from an incident that occurred on Amish Road in March in which the defendant allegedly hit the victim in the face, kicked him, then hit him again in the face with a gun, and pointed the gun at the victim's wife and child and threatened to kill them if they didn't leave the trailer.

Jaramie Shaffer, 25, Aurora, W.Va., was not prosecuted for the allegedly writing a bad check.

Roy Jason Devore, 24,

Oakland, was not prosecuted for alleged CDS possession of marijuana and CDS possession of paraphernalia. The charges stemmed from an incident in which the defendant was pulled over for a faulty tag light by the MSP.

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22, Grantsville, was not prosecuted for allegedly confining an unattended child.

**DUI AND DWI**

Judge Burnett handed Thomas Anthony Bodalaski, 19, Md., a PBJ, one year of unsupervised probation, a \$200 fine, and 30 days of community service after he pleaded guilty to driving while impaired.

The district attorney did not prosecute Bodalaski for the additional charges of DUI and DUI per se.

Shawn Richard Shifflett, 23, Md., pleaded guilty to DWI and was handed a PBJ, a \$500 fine with \$100 suspended, and one year of unsupervised probation. Judge Burnett also suspended a 30-day jail sentence.

John Joseph Burns, 31, pleaded guilty to DUI per se and was given a \$500 fine with \$100 suspended and one year of unsupervised probation. Judge Burnett also suspended a 30-day jail term. Burns was not prosecuted on additional DUI charge.

Neil Martyn Kilgallon, 31, Md., pleaded guilty to DUI per se and was given a PBJ, a \$500 fine with \$100 suspended, and one year of unsupervised probation. Kilgallon was not prosecuted for additional charges of DUI and DWI.

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His efforts on economic development  
**cut Garrett County's unemployment rate from 12% to 7%**  
and  
**helped create a 6 million dollar budget surplus.**

Conservative Wendell Beitzel is  
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# Vote for Wendell Beitzel on September 12

Authority: Team Beitzel, Marta Schroyer, Treasurer

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## Miss Schmidt Marries Mr. Ketterman In July Ceremony



Pamela Michelle was officiated by the Rev. Schmidt and Gary Randall Ketterman were married on Saturday, July 22, 2006, at the Casselman Bridge in Grantsville. The ceremony

Ketterman, Flemington, W. Va., and Robert and Regina Roseberry, Barricksville, W. Va.

Miss Schmidt carried a bouquet of red, pink, yellow, and white roses. Rachel Schmidt, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Crystal Kazor, friend of the bride, served as bridesmaid. Selena and Alicia Sines, cousins of the bride, were flower girls.

Rick Glaspell, cousin of the groom, served as best man. Roger Glaspell, uncle of the groom, served as groomsman. Ring bearer was Jason Sines, cousin of the bride.

Daisy Glaspell, aunt of the groom, handed out bubbles.

The three-tiered wedding cake - decorated with black spots and trimmed with black and red beads of icing, was topped with a Mary Moo Moo bride and groom sitting on a John Deere tractor - was made by Charlene Stone, friend of the bride's family.

The bride and groom honeymooned in the Po-

## Social

conos, and later toured Morgantown, W. Va. The groom is employed by FCX Systems Inc., Morgantown, W. Va.

The bride is employed by Mon General Hospital Mon Kids Childcare Center in

*Jennifer Miller Weds Jordan Brenneman During May Ceremony In Springs, Pa.*



Jennifer Marie Miller and Jordan Matthew Brenneman were united in marriage on May 13 at Springs (Pa.) Mennonite Church. Chris Weaver performed

the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Glenn and Tammy Miller, Springs. The groom is the son of Ronald and Beth Brenneman, Grants-

ville. The bride was escorted to the altar by her father.

Wendy Miller, twin sister of the bride, was the maid of honor. Carrie Sines, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Jacqueline Hawkins, sister of the groom; Jolene Custer, sister of the groom; and Mary Beth Green. The flowergirls were Madisyn and Alexa Coburn.

Ryan Brenneman, brother of the groom, was the best man. Groomsman were Trey Brenneman, Danny Gano, Michael Wolf, and Riley Sines.

The guest book attendants were Taryn Brenneman and Danielle Brenneman.

A reception was held at the Salisbury fire hall.

The couple's honeymoon was a cruise to the Bahamas.

The bride is a 2003 graduate of Salisbury-Eik Lick High School and a 2005 graduate of Central Pennsylvania College. She is employed full time at Tri State Community Health Center as a medical assistant, and works part time at the Casselman Restaurant. The groom is a 2003 graduate of Northern High School. He is part owner of Brenneman Custom Meat Processing, Grantsville.

The couple live in Grantsville.

Norma is the daughter of the late John Ray and Maude Browning, and retired from the Garrett County Health Department as director of nursing. LeRoy is the son of the late George and Mae Bolding. He is also a veteran of the Korean War, and a retired teacher at Southern High School and former head football coach.

## Boldings Celebrate 50 Years



A 50th wedding anniversary party was held for Norma and LeRoy Bolding on June 24, 2006, at Alpine Lake Resort. The party was given by their children Linda Colaw, Oakland, Michael Bolding, Spring Run, Pa., Mary Jo Lewis, Olive Branch, Miss., and Stephen Bolding.

The couple were toasted by their oldest son Michael and niece Carole Lindes of Bethany Beach, Del. Entertainment was provided by David K. Martin and Sounds Fun Entertainment.

Charles Beck, friend of the family, photographed the event. They were married May 27, 1956, at St. Matthew's Church in Oakland, with the Rev. John Atwell officiating.

Attending this celebration were more than 85 friends and relatives. LeRoy and Norma said they would like to thank everyone who attended or sent cards in honor of their 50 years of marriage.

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**Phone Home #300 - McHenry.** Towering Oaks Condominiums. Located in the north end of Deep Creek Lake. Offering beautiful lake view with large lakefront and boat docking. Only minutes away from Wisp Ski Resort. This property has great investment possibilities. GA6163338 **\$995,000**

**Phone Home #374 - McHenry.** Towering Oaks Condominium #1. 326 Deep Creek Drive located in the north end of Deep Creek Lake. Offering beautiful lake view with large lakefront and boat docking. Only minutes away from Wisp Ski Resort. GA6166482 **\$395,000**

**Phone Home #348 - Friendsville.** 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath home on 1.94 acres. This is a beautiful lot and a must see for this price. Home includes many interior upgrades such as new carpet, fresh paint, new wiring and new windows. GA6149595 **\$164,900**

**Phone Home #387 - Oakland.** Total "As Is" sale. Current owner took ownership in 4/06 and knows very little about dwelling. Could be fixer upper. Has full basement, wall and septic. Location is sweet! State Forest area, level approx. 1 acre lot, county road frontage and no HOA. Excellent property with/without house. Swallow Falls area and about 10-15 minutes from Wisp & Deep Creek Lake area. GA6065085 **\$99,900**

**Phone Home #389 - Oakland.** Spacious custom built home strategically located to assure country charm living yet super convenience to town and county recreational areas. Located along paved county road and providing seemingly endless almost level outdoor recreational yard area. Attached huge garage, finished basement, and front and rear decks complete this well planned home. Finished basement has 2 bedrooms, bath, and living area currently separated/private from main floor, but can easily be converted to original connected stairs style. Cooks will love the custom "hickory" kitchen. Oh yeah, did we mention the view? You'll be impressed! GA6067451 **\$184,000**



**Phone Home #349 - Commercial/Recreational Retreat.** The "Camp Deep Creek" Includes large main lodge, sleeps 24; 2 bunkhouses sleep 36; men and women shower houses, commercial cafeteria, baseball, soccer, volleyball, basketball courts; recreational picnic pavilions. 18+ acres, Deep Creek and Wisp area. GA5524931 **\$1,200,000**



**Phone Home #383 - Keyser's Ridge.** ATTENTION! Outdoor Enthusiasts! 25 acres w/real log cabin w/all the amenities located on beautiful mature timber property bordering state forest. Property is private, easy to navigate upon, and possesses a small stream. Log cabin is complete with 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 baths. Call to discuss details, request a copy of plot, and/or schedule a viewing. GA6033862 **\$349,000**

**Phone Home #363 - Eckhart.** Don't judge a book by its cover. Yes, the outside needs lots of work but seller did replace ceilings and drywall 4 years ago. Also replaced furnace, hot water heater, and carpet 2 1/2 years ago. Being sold strictly "as is." Outside and basement in need of repair but inside not bad. Great investment opportunity, fix up and rent or sell. AL6161072 **\$49,000**

**Phone Home #386 - Oakland.** Incredible commercial treasure awaits! 2 buildings are included on level 1+ acre zoned commercial parcel. Newer pole building w/approx. 12 ceilings and 2 overhead doors. Black building has separate bars, office, bath, heating system, lighting, air lines, updated commercial wiring/electric and is diverse as to its potential usage. Water & septic. Gate and fence can remain or owner will remove. (Check this one out!) GA6065040 **\$249,000**

**Phone Home #332 - Sawantow.** Cozy Mountain log home nestled on 2 acres within walking distance of Deep Creek Lake State Park. Very private setting, with lake views, conveniently located to all of Deep Creek Lake's activities. Price is negotiable, please bring all offers. A must see. Map 59 parcel 319 is included in this sale. GA6114342 **\$375,000**

**Phone Home #385 - Grantsville.** 6 acres that can be subdivided into 3 parcels. Perks on record. Property offers a 1992 mobile home on foundation and 28x42 garage w/13 ft. ceilings to store all your toys. Two septic and one well and 3 perks on property. Live in the trailer while you build your dream home, sell other lots if you wish. Great opportunity! GA6040991 **REDUCED TO \$134,000**



**Phone Home #395 - Grantsville.** Quality built shell, all rough work done. Impressive 28x50 shell originally designed as 3 bedroom, 3 1/2 bath. Loft MBR with bath. Generous 1st floor, basement roughed in for bedroom & bath. Well, septic and electric in. Attached carport could easily be garage or screened porch. Wrap deck to million dollar panoramic view! All this sits on 10 acre lot. Private yet close to activities. Poss. subdivision on lot. Wildlife, 4 wheeling & hunting. GA6103978 **REDUCED TO \$235,000**



**Phone Home #367 - Deep Creek Lake.** Large level lakefront and boat dockage area. Beautiful lake view, with 3 bedrooms & 2 1/2 baths, garage and air conditioning. Large lakefront deck with side deck and hot tub. McHenry area and close to Wisp Ski Resort. This property provides great income and investment possibilities. GA5493206 **REDUCED TO \$495,000**



**Phone Home #396 - Accident.** A beautiful, cedar and stone contemporary situated on 4 acres with a private setting. Home includes 6 bedrooms, family room, exercise room, loft, skylights, stone patios, decks, large stone gas grill, basketball court, and a tongue & groove 2 car garage. The master bedroom suite (unfinished) includes a deck, skylights, and 2 cedar-lined walk-in closets. Healthy sleep, only has 3 bedroom septic on file. GA6114052 **REDUCED TO \$390,900**

## Lots and Land - MD

**Phone Home #381 - Accident.** 106 ac. along Bear Creek. This property has it all. Frontage along Bear Creek, a mix of fields and woods, mountain views, and an abundance of wildlife. Call today to see a part of this beautiful property. GA6174411 **\$549,900**

**Phone Home #350 - McHenry.** Split level lot home site in a central Deep Creek Lake spot. Enjoy the mountain and lake views. Type A. Dark permit and public water. GA5147107 **\$395,000**

**Phone Home #361 - Accident.** 9.20 wooded acre. Unimproved building only 3 miles from Deep Creek Lake and easy access to I-68. Level to moderate sloping terrain. Frontage on US Rt. 219. Park approved Sign at driveway. GA6153413 **\$550,900**

**Phone Home #351 - Oakland.** 78.02 acres. Property parcel and front on public road. Trees on property are Sugar Maples. Several springs on property. Beautiful view! This property is a must see! GA6148994 **\$550,800**

**Phone Home #346-346 - Leek Lym.** New Southwood Ridge subdivision. 1.005-2.028 acre lots available. These lots are perfect and ready to build. GA6146532 **Starting at \$49,900-\$59,900**

**Phone Home #300 - Oakland.** 3 wooded acres, unrestricted building lot only 3 miles from Deep Creek Lake and easy access to I-68. Level to moderate sloping terrain. Frontage on U.S. Rt. 219. Park approved. GA6141687 **\$250,900**

**Phone Home #336 - Oakland.** 1.10 acre wooded building lot. Secluded and located along scenic Purgin Farm Road. This lot is ideally located close to all Deep Creek Lake activities and attractions. Parked and ready to build upon. GA6132945 **\$75,900**

**Phone Home #333 - Leek Lym.** Ready to build upon, oversized 1+ acre property with septic already in place. Located just off paved county road with western view. Basically level with some landscaping in place! Very attractive home site with most of yard already in place presenting very little site preparation for building. Approximately 5+ min. from Oakland and 10-15 min. from Deep Creek Lake. GA6130032 **\$45,900**

**Phone Home #300 - Oakland.** Level 1+ acre parcel in state forest area. No HOA! Property is fairly secluded & is behind road frontage parcel. Property is close to Swallow Falls Park area & about 10-15 minutes from Wisp & Deep Creek Lake area. There are no deed restrictions limiting type of home or usage of property. Yes, mobile home could be placed. GA6065209 **\$49,900**

**Phone Home #300 - Grantsville.** <1 acre lot located in Deerfield Estates. This lot is a spectacular home site. Parked and ready for you to build. (Mobile home occupied) GA5809178 **\$34,900**

**Phone Home #300 - Grantsville.** 853 acre lot located in Deerfield Estates. This lot is a spectacular home site. Almost level. Parked and ready for you to build. Close to I-68 and state forest. GA5809205 **\$34,900**

**Phone Home #324 - We added 1 acre home site to Northern Garrett County.** Close to I-68 and off Rt. 40. Walking distance to Savage River State Forest. View potential! GA5249917 **\$24,900**

**Phone Home #326 - Wooded 1 acre home site in nice Northern Garrett County country setting.** Walk to Savage River State Forest. Easy access, mountain views. GA6691177 **\$24,900**

**Phone Home #337 - Friendsville area - 4+ acre home site.** One of the most peaceful, quiet, "little community" 4 acre home site you ever going to see. Nice large trees, easy to get to, and best of all some views of Tough Lake and possible bottom. GA4758553 **\$50,000**

**Phone Home #377 - Leeswood.** 14 parcels on Anthon Leeswood Road. This peaceful wooded lot complete with a stream borders the Savage River State Forest, and is ready to build the perfect hunting cabin or getaway home. Escape from the hustle and bustle while still being only 8 miles from I-68. GA6034208 **\$17,900**

**Phone Home #376 - Oakland Area 8+ Acres.** "Secluded wooded acreage" located close to the Troughgenny River yet only minutes from town and modern conveniences. Easy access via paved county maintained road. Approximately 20 minutes from Deep Creek Lake and Wisp Ski Resort. Perfect location for a private residential home or getaway cabin. Great outdoor and recreational on-site property. GA5574045 **\$79,000**

**Phone Home #382 - College Estates 1.91 Acres.** Nice wooded lot close to Deep Creek Lake. Easy access to major highways yet private. GA6033597 **Reduced to \$99,000**

**Phone Home #300 - McHenry.** Enjoy views of the Mountains and Wisp Resort from this gently rolling lot in Wisping View. A peaceful home fishing pond and picnic pavilion are just steps from your back door. Minutes to Wisp Ski Resort and Deep Creek Lake, the perfect location for a country home. Discover the Wisping View. GA6061189 **\$145,000**

**Phone Home #336 - McHenry.** 36 acre lot. Heavily wooded. This lot is just minutes from Deep Creek Lake. Wisp Ski Resort. Shopping, dining, and recreation! Improved with a well and septic, you're ready to start building your vacation home today. GA6101752 **Reduced to \$42,500**

**Phone Home #352 - Grantsville.** Extra peace and tranquility on this lovely level wooded lot. Build your dream home in the advantage of the possibility of subdivision. Easy access via paved road. GA6067316 **\$150,900**

## West Virginia Properties

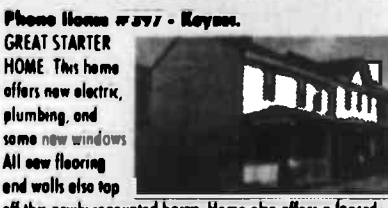


**Phone Home #399 - Hazleton.** Recently remodeled 2 bedroom mobile in quiet country setting. Great master home. New yard and deck. PR6117408 **Reduced to \$28,500**

**Phone Home #373 - Preston County, Conrad NW.** 5-10 open acres, lots with wild and wonderful views. Build your own dream home and bring the horses. Centrally located between Deep Creek, Cheat and Tygart Lakes. **\$27,900-\$49,900**

**Phone Home #362 - Fort Ashby, WV.** Evergreen Lane. This home, situated on 2.08 acres, offers seclusion yet is close to everything. With its 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath open floor plan and deck overlooking trees, your family will feel right at home. Also offers a full finished basement with 1-car garage. M46153313 **\$149,900**

**Phone Home #339 - Ramoth, WV.** 8.158 acres completely wooded and private. Land is level to gently sloping. Cabin shell/storage building on property. Electric and telephone service to property line. Only minutes from I-68. PR6134453 **\$69,000**



**Phone Home #377 - Keyser.** GREAT STARTER HOME. This home offers new electric, plumbing, and some new windows. All new flooring and walls also top off this newly renovated home. Home also offers a fenced in backyard located in town for your convenience. A must see. M6112668 **\$55,000**

**Phone Home #370 - Hampshire County.** Lot 30 in Greenfields. Start building your home today on this level 2.32 acre building lot in Springfield, WV. Public water available, minutes from public river access. Seller will build to suit. Call today! M56103053 **\$34,900**

**Phone Home #378 - Cranstonville, WV.** Three 2+ acre wooded building lots available. Great for hunting or building a dream weekend getaway cabin. Buy one or buy them all for extra room to roam. PR5576966, PR6080914, PR6078287 **each \$18,000**

**Phone Home #327 - Bruceton Mills/Valley Point.** Enjoy seclusion and wildlife from this 1.72 acre wooded building lot w/public water. Just minutes from Deep Creek Lake and 5 minutes from I-68. PR3104010 **\$34,900**

**Phone Home #390 - Tucker County, Hendricks, WV.** The "Stoneledge" inspired by Frank Lloyd Wright and situated on 149+ acres of woods and meadows. Close to Canaan Ski Resorts, Deep Creek Lake and Seneca Rocks. This property offers a 30x40 barn and 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath home with many extras. Enjoy views of the adjoining National Forest from the four story stone tower roof-top balcony. Features native cherry, oak, and walnut floors, walls and ceilings. This property is a must see! TU6076088 **\$725,000**

**Phone Home #330 - Terra Alta.** Lot 48 Alpine Section. Beautiful wooded lot in a gated community with 24 hour security. Alpine Lake Resort amenities include an 18 hole golf course, 148 acre lake, cross country skiing, indoor swimming pool, fitness center, lodge, restaurant, motel, tennis courts, beach, playground, and miniature golf. Wildlife is everywhere you look. PR5476970 **\$25,000**

**Phone Home #331 - Terra Alta.** Lot 49 Alpine. Beautiful wooded lot in a gated community with 24 hour security. Alpine Lake Resort amenities include an 18 hole golf course, 148 acre lake, cross country skiing, indoor swimming pool, fitness center, lodge, restaurant, motel, tennis courts, beach, playground, and miniature golf. Wildlife is everywhere you look. PR5476970 **\$25,000**



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## Letters

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To the Editor:

I would like to share my position about endorsing candidates in other local and state races.

I am seeking election to the District 1 Maryland State Senate seat in the Tuesday, September 12, Primary Election. It has come to my attention that candidates for other local and state offices are using photos and quotes from me in their primary election advertising, specifically for District 1A House of Delegates and Allegany County Register of Wills.

In the course of my years of public service, I have had the occasion to work with many of the people who are running for various offices in this election. These candidates are good people and are well qualified to serve. I have had positive interactions with most of the candidates, but I have not and will not formally endorse any candidate in Allegany, Garrett, and Washington counties for election to local or state office during the primary.

One advertisement used my name and a quote, which I made when the candidate was in a previous elected position. The other used my photo taken in Annapolis at a previous bill hearing. Both are accurate.

**RE-ELECT DAVE BEARD**  
for COUNTY COMMISSIONER DISTRICT 3  
Authority B.J. Board, Treasurer



## CANDIDATE SINES Speaks Out:

As I write this final letter to you, the voters, I would like to call your attention and remind you of a few things and how they stand. Because my opponent, Edwards, was still about to run unopposed for the important position of State Senator for District 1, I filed for this office at the last hour so that you would have a choice and the opportunity on September 12. It was for the sake of you, the voters, that I filed. During this campaign I have not asked for nor received contributions from anyone. I have spent approximately \$5,000 of my own funds and have knocked on thousands of doors to let the public know who I am and how I stand on the various issues. My opponent, Edwards, appears to have had unlimited money to spend on his campaign, but his record in the legislature for the past 24 years speaks for itself on how he has voted for the flush tax and increased licensing fees, and has brought upon you, the people, increased controls and restrictions. In closing, I would like to say that this is an important election for each of you. The legislators and the county commissioners are the only ones with taxing authority. You'll be putting your property and rights in the hands of whoever you elect to serve you during the next 4 years. I have and will continue to do my part but the final choice is yours. The only way that change will occur is for you to make it happen at the polls. See you there on Tuesday, September 12!

YOUR VOTE WILL BE GREATLY APPRECIATED!!

**John "Ross" Sines**

A Farmer by Trade; A Statesman at Heart  
Republican Candidate for State Senate in District #1

Authorized by Norman Sines, Jr., Treasurer

happenings and I said they could be used but not as an endorsement, and neither implies nor was intended to be an endorsement. I do not feel it is appropriate to endorse other political candidates in a primary election. My focus is getting elected to the Maryland Senate, where I can serve the people of Western Maryland and the entire state of Maryland. I would encourage all voters of District 1, after carefully reviewing the qualifications and positions of all who run for local and state office, turn out for the Primary and the General Election and to exercise your right to vote based on your own judgment and experience with the candidates.

Thank you,  
George Edwards  
District 1A  
House of Delegates

To the Editor:

This is in response to last week's letters to the editor from Dr. Ronel L. Williams and Mr. Paul Weiler.

I would agree with Dr. Williams in that this is the most pivotal delegate race in years and will have a lasting impact on Garrett County. Since the "Mc-

Henry Cartel" was unnamed, it cannot be addressed.

However, the largest local developer in Deep Creek Development Corporation. They have had a significant positive aesthetic and financial impact on the entire county inclusive of its payroll dollars and property taxes (\$455,000+ last year). Deep Creek Development represents well organized and responsible development into an area that is in great demand because of its location, natural resources, and beautiful environment.

I am confident that Wendell Beitzel, as delegate, will represent all citizens of Garrett County, including the many Garrett County business owners and all private citizens.

In Mr. Weiler's reference to Deep Creek Lake's explosive growth, all Garrett County expansion has been overseen by a zoning commission made up of representatives from the entire county.

I am proud to support qualified candidates such as Wendell Beitzel, and I would urge both Dr. Williams and Mr. Weiler to observe Wendell Beitzel during any year (not just an election year) to witness his broad-based community participation from American Red Cross board member to his avid support of the local 4-H clubs.

As a member of several charity event planning committees, I invite Dr. Williams and Mr. Weiler to join (as Wendell Beitzel has joined) with generous contributions of either time or dollars.

In closing, I am proud of

all candidates who have the courage and conviction to spend their time and money running for public office to represent all Garrett County citizens, including Dr. Williams and Mr. Weiler.

Debbie M. Bishop  
McHenry

To the Editor:

In the August 31 issue of *The Republican* Major Berkebile defended the practice of hiring retired state troopers for sheriff's office positions by saying how much money it is saving the county. This may look good in the short term by saving on training and insurance costs. However, it appears to me to be a very shortsighted practice in the sheriff's office or any other county office. For every position filled by a retired individual, one more of our young people must leave Garrett County to look for a decent job. Potentially, each of these young men and women would buy property, pay taxes, and raise families that would be consumers of goods and services in the county for many years to come. I'm not an accountant, but it seems to me that this would equate to a good deal of lost revenue over a period of years if you multiply it by the 25 employees mentioned in the article. The political candidates do a lot of talking about the need for creating good jobs to keep our young people in the county. If this is, in fact, a practice in other county offices, as Mr. Berkebile claims, this may be a place our elected officials should look for a few of those jobs.

Furthermore, I believe that the positions most people are "concerned" about are those that were apparently filled without being published. It has always been my understanding that positions in county or state government must be advertised in order to give all qualified individuals an opportunity to make application.

Sincerely,  
Faye Hetrick  
Oakland

To the Editor:

We are writing to convey our support for Capt. Larry Gnegy, candidate for sheriff. After nearly 30 years in law enforcement, he has been the epitome of what one looks for in a leader. Throughout his service he has repeatedly shown genuine concern for all citizens of Garrett County. He treats everyone he encounters with dignity, fairness, and unwavering objectivity. His high moral character is lived rather than preached. His dedication to his vow of service and protection has been undeniable. He has gone above and beyond his required duty to assist victims of crime. When he commits himself to a cause, he is reliable, steadfast, and enthusiastic.

Capt. Gnegy seeks information from all reliable sources and uses his thoughtfulness and creativity to improve the quality of life in Garrett County. The county cannot go wrong by electing a man who bases his actions on the best interest of individuals, groups, and society as a whole.

Sincerely,  
Kristiann Gerniann  
Heather Hanline  
Debbie Holler  
Victoria Thomas

To the Editor,

Politics are often brutal, and on many occasions when mud-slinging is involved, people just sum it up to "That's politics." However, in reading the August 24 issue of *The Republican*, some confusion arose when Chief Deputy Gary Berkebile's ad described the qualifications of his choice for chief deputy in comparison to the choice of one of his opponents, specifically, Captain Larry Gnegy.

It is well within Mr. Berkebile's rights to list what he feels are his choice for chief deputy's best attributes for the job, however, in

doing so, at least report the facts accurately and not make it just a "my choice is better than yours" issue. It is this reader's assumption that as part of a chief deputy's duties he should be aware of what is going on with those men/women under his supervision and would know whether or not someone was just employed for 13 years or had worked his way up through the ranks. It would appear that — as the ad was being prepared, there was a severe oversight on someone's part in reference to Deputy Sergeant Mike Bittinger's specialized training and rank. In comparing the advertisement on page A-15 with the advertisement on B-1, there were some obvious discrepancies. According to both ads, Deputy Sergeant Bittinger has worked for the Garrett County Sheriff's Office for 13 years. However, what Chief Deputy Berkebile's ad failed to mention was that under his nine years as chief deputy, Mr. Bittinger received at least

two promotions, as well as completed numerous training classes.

This is just something to think about as the election draws near.

Respectfully,  
Charles Friesel

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## My Fellow Citizens,

I'm in my last months as your Sheriff, and it has been an honor to serve you. I have seen many changes in the Sheriff's Office in the past nine years that I have been your Sheriff. The office is more professional, better trained, and better equipped to serve you. I am proud of what the Sheriff's Office now stands for. We have hired outstanding men & women who are dedicated to serve you.

Throughout the revamping of the Sheriff's Office, Gary Berkebile, my Chief Deputy, has been there to support me and help me to get it done. He is as much responsible as I am for the professionalism that is displayed every day at the Sheriff's Office and Detention Center.

We have addressed the drug problem, criminal complaints, traffic complaints and domestic violence by concentrating our resources on these problem areas. There is nothing more important than protecting our families from these criminals. That is why I'm voting for Gary Berkebile for Sheriff. Let us keep doing our jobs with outstanding employees, all of which live in Garrett County. Let's not go back to the "Good Old Boys" days of the past. You need a Sheriff who will hire people that are very capable of getting the job done, not a Sheriff who hires friends or friends of friends who are not qualified applicants.

This is why we must elect Gary Berkebile, an experienced police administrator.

Sheriff P.R. "Dick" Sanders

Authority Dick Sanders, Treasurer



## West Virginia

News from Preston, Tucker, Grant and Mineral Counties.

### Antique Tractor Show To Be Held Saturday, Sept. 9

The Mountain Lions Clubs of Aurora, Eglen, Stemple Ridge, Amboy, and Horse Shoe Run will hold the Grand Appalachia Lions Tractor Show at Mount Grove this Saturday, Sept. 9, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission is free to all.

"There is almost nothing more precious to a farmer's heart than the sound of a well-tuned antique tractor tilling the ground," said Lions Club member David Moran after experiencing last year's Appalachia Lions Antique Tractor. "I wish that I could work one of these fine tractors year around," he added.

The show offers people a chance to hear the sounds of the old tractors and to watch the antique farming machinery move.

The Lions Club's have worked throughout this past year to bring together the best antique tractors and farm equipment in the area for show and competition.

"This is our premier event of the year for the Mountain Lions," said Lions president Alton Auvil. "We do this show as a public service for all of our

friends in this wonderful rural community, and as one of our fundraisers for our many public service projects," he said. "The Lions are leaders in community eye-care projects, but you won't need new glasses to see these tractors," he added.

"We will be serving hamburgers and hotdogs and all sorts of great food all day at the Mount Grove Park," said Mary Stemple. "And, we'll have a live country music band to entertain us all day. My husband likes the tractors, but I love the country music."

One of the featured tractors in the competition is John Calcamp's 1947 Allis Chalmers, with an original sickle-bar mower

"I was lucky to find a tractor that was in good restorable condition," said John Calcamp.

"The restoration took me over a year, and my wife Jean began to wonder if she would ever get me back in the house, but the finished product is just beautiful."

According to Tom Donaldson, over 50 tractors and farm implements were on display and in the competition last year. Donaldson is working on the restoration of a 1959 English Interna-



**AN ANTIQUE TRACTOR SHOW** - The Mountain Lions Clubs of Aurora, Eglen, Stemple Ridge, Amboy, and Horse Shoe Run will hold the Grand Appalachia Lions Tractor Show at Mount Grove on Saturday, Sept. 9. The show will feature the best antique tractors and farm equipment in the area for show and competition. Food will be available at the Mount Grove Park. A live country band will play at the event. Admission is free to all. Pictured above is John Calcamp on a 1947 Allis Chalmers with sickle-bar mower behind; above, Tom Donaldson sits on a 1959 English International.

tional and will be displaying it at the show.

"This is a show I never want to miss," said Dee Douglas, who is a principal volunteer for the Aurora Rescue Squad. "I'd like to see every kid in the area there this Saturday," she

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Chuck, Emily, and Noah Young were Labor Day weekend guests of her parents, Tom and Linda Lewis, and sister, Sara, at Eglen. They turned Monday to Mr. Young's home.

Two-year-old Landon and his sister, Emily, died unexpectedly Saturday, Sept. 2, while being cared for in Morgantown by his grandmother, Sue Roberson of Aurora, and his aunt, Melanie Roberson. His parents, Brian and Crystal Boal of Oakland, were attending the WVU-Marshall U game.

Visiting here Aug. 26-28 were Erma Heise of Arthur Dale, and Darrell and Carolyn Rhodes and Carl Shaffer of Ohio. Carl attended his 53rd Aurora High School class reunion at the Farmer's Wildlife Park. On Sunday, Aug. 27, they attended the Harsh reunion also at the Wildlife Park. They met Ruth Parks, Jim and Cheryl Parks, Barbara Heckert, Jean and Carlton Skipper, and John and Shirley Parsons on Monday at Melanie's Restaurant for a celebration of Ruth's 90th birthday.

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visitors with Martha's parents, Ellis and Marie Teets, Silver Lake.

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## TERRA ALTA NEWS

### OKTOBERFEST AT ALPINE LAKE RESORT

The Alpine Lake Resort community will celebrate the seventh annual Oktoberfest on Saturday, Sept. 16, beginning at noon at the boathouse, rain or shine. Admission is free.

In addition to homemade German food and beverages, there will be hayrides, line dancing, Alpine games (including "stein-holding"), the Oakland Volunteer Fire Department Oktoberfest Oom-Pah Band (4 to 7 p.m.), kids' games, pony rides, and a number of booths offering a variety of items.

There will also be an Oktoberfest Golf Scramble in the morning. Participants may bring their own foursomes or join one at the event. For more information, persons may call the Pro Shop at 784-2481, ext. 150.

Breakfast will be served on Sunday, Sept. 17, at the boathouse, beginning at 8 a.m. There will be a small fee for the meal.

### TERRA ALTA BETTERMENT INC.

The next Terra Alta Betterment Inc. (TABI) meeting will be held at the town hall on Sept. 18 at 7 p.m.

### EVERYONE IS WELCOME.

The Terra Alta Country Market is in full swing. Vendors are bringing in a wide selection of fruits and vegetables, jams, honey, and baked goods. The market is in operation at the Community Park on Friday mornings at 10 a.m.

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in West Virginia and the effort to add significant wilderness area to the Monongahela National Forest.

The West Virginia Highlands Conservancy organization focuses on a wide range of environmental issues, including conserving balsam fir and restoring the red spruce ecosystem in the Highlands, and introducing a new West Virginia wilderness bill in Congress that recommends protecting more of the Mon Forest as wilderness.

The Garden Club's annual program relating to a West Virginia conservation topic is open to the public and will be held at the Alpine Lake Boathouse on Thursday, Sept. 14, at 7 p.m.

After the program, refreshments will be available, and a short business meeting will follow for members.

The Cranberry Garden Club of Preston County, which is open to men and women, meets on the third Thursday of the month in the Terra Alta and Kingwood areas. Dues are \$15 a year.

The Oct. 19 meeting of the club will take place at Cranesville Swamp, a Nature Conservancy site where a local Cranesville gardener/naturalist will lead a walking tour of the swamp with the cranberry bushes in full color.

For more information, persons may call 789-5927.

### FOOD PANTRY

Canned or packaged foods for the Terra Alta Food Pantry are needed. Donations can be taken to the Pantry, located behind Hero Hut, between 12:30 and 3:30 p.m. every Tuesday.

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for the position of

## Garrett County Commissioner District III



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## Letters

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To the Editor:  
We would like to appeal to the people of Garrett County to strongly consider supporting Gary Berkebile as the new sheriff. He has become a friend of ours through our combined interests of the Livestock Association, the 4-H, and the Garrett County Fair. He has shown strong leadership and the ability to make good decisions concerning the financial effort, and his best trait is the way he can work with young children, teenagers, and adults to make the dreams of better things in this organization become a reality.

Gary has been our acting sheriff for some time now and has the support of Sheriff Dick Sanders in his campaign to become sheriff. This tells us that he is well qualified for the position and his training in law enforcement gives him the supreme edge over the other candidates. I think we, as a county, are very fortunate and should be proud to have his ability and dedication working to make our county a better and safer place to live and raise our children. His dedication comes from his own desire to secure the future of our young because he also has children and we're sure his wishes are the same as ours, that his children will remain in Garrett County as adults so he can be close to them and his future grandchildren. We feel he will do his best to maintain a sound budget that will enable our country to grow and prosper.

Please think about the aspects of Gary's leadership when making the choice for sheriff. I think you will agree that he is the one to lead us to a better future.

Sincerely,  
Shawn and Danielle  
Aronhalt

To the Editor:

In his letter to the editor in last week's paper, Fred Bradshaw stated that "good ol' boy" favoritism of the past is gone. Is that a fact?

Then why did Sheriff Sanders, a former state trooper, choose "good ol' boy" Gary Berkebile, also a former state trooper and friend, as Chief Deputy?

Also, I've been told that every time a local trooper retires, he is hired by the sheriff's office. No, Mr. Bradshaw, the "good ol' boy" favoritism is not gone; it's alive and doing very well in Garrett County, especially in the sheriff's office.

I have also been told that during the administration of Sanders and Berkebile, the office's budget has skyrocketed from about \$800,000 to about \$5,000,000 in less than ten years.

If these amounts are correct, this budget has increased over 600 percent.

Isn't it time we elect a sheriff who is more concerned about how our tax

dollars are spent?

Jerry Stewart  
Oakland

To the Editor:

I have read the campaign ads of one of the sheriff candidates with a great deal of humor as to the accuracy of the information provided, but one of the letters to the editor last week took away the humor of the situation due to the nasty tone and outright fabrications about the previous sheriff's office administrations.

I worked under the Van Evans administration, and the statements that were made by Randy Resh were absolutely untrue. The Sheriff's Office did not make a habit of turning over investigations to the state police.

We handled our own complaints, as did the state police. We did make use of state resources which we did not have, such as the mobile crime lab, helicopter, and K9, but took the lead in the cases with their assistance. We would have been fired, and rightfully so, if Sheriff Evans had ever heard of a deputy turning an investigation over to the state police. We were as well trained and capable as any trooper and were never unprofessional, the "weaker sisters" or any way inferior to the state police. We did the job back then with half the manpower, less than 1/4 of the budget, and at wages that made anyone with children eligible for public assistance.

Of course, with the way things stand under the current administration, incidents would never need to be turned over to a trooper; one could just respond directly from the Sheriff's Office.

I will also address some other issues. Let's get back to proper hiring policy, with equal opportunity to county residents who could use a good job to support their families. I have nothing against the retired officers, but if they wished to work in law enforcement, why did they retire?

I would also like to address the honesty and integrity which has been stated as attributes of the candidate. How much honesty and integrity are involved in buying thousands of dollars worth of security equipment from DataLan Systems where Bob Berkebile, Gary's brother, is em-

ployed, without following county procurement policy?

Before September 12, we should sit and reflect on the candidates offered to us during this primary election. One has to wonder why the Maryland Troopers' Association refused to endorse one of their own, and the Fraternal Order of Police has endorsed another candidate.

Former Deputy Sheriff  
Christopher Feller

To the Editor:

Voters, taxpayers, and citizens need to get better informed about the \$40 million road around Oakland. It could be like the Courthouse addition a generation ago which ruined a historic monument.

Who started this project that delegate candidate DeCorsey Bolden said will cost \$400,000 a foot? What was the estimated cost at that time? Why haven't the taxpayers been better informed of the background design costs and more?

Where does your candidate in 2006 stand on the issue? The Cumberland-Times News on Sunday, August 27, reported that five of the six delegate candidates supported the project without ever telling the taxpayers needed information. Candidate Bolden held out by saying it is "a waste of money and a waste of land use." Perhaps a check needs to be made.

Already for the right of way, one residence has been purchased at reported cost of \$340,000. Then the seller purchased back the home for \$7,000 and had it moved to another location for \$80,000. There seems to be a \$253,000 gap here before the project gets off the ground.

What about the people along the bypass way? The downtown businesses, the property to be taken, Mtn. Lake Park, and most important, the taxpayer?

Taxpayers, where does your candidate stand on the bypass issue? Have they explored the cost versus the outcome? \$40 million is a lot of money to take the businesses from downtown. It may be a good idea, but check the figures and the damages before it goes any further.

Call your candidate and insist on the full truth. Your voice should count. It is

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your money. Call the commissioners. Call your senate and delegate candidates. Write to *The Republican* and *Cumberland-Times News* with your concerns. Let others know your thoughts. Make your vote count.

Charles G. Railey  
Bridgeport, W. Va.

To the Editor:

I am amazed by the misinformation and shallowness of some of the letters printed in the Aug. 31 issue of *The Republican*. One writer knocks Congressman Roscoe Bartlett for trying to help keep predators and pornographers off the Internet. Another blames George Edwards for the electricity deregulation fiasco, something created entirely by the large Democratic majority in Annapolis. Two letters trash Wendell Beitzel because of his employer, and one dislikes Brenda Butscher for even having a job. Ridiculous!

The criteria for choosing a candidate should turn on where he/she stands on issues important to the voter. All Garrett County candidates in contested Republican primaries have run large ads in *The Republican* for weeks, stating their positions on issues. The paper is much thicker because of that. The League of Women Voters held a major forum a week ago. Information is out there and readily available to any voter who will

look. There is no need to resort to misinformation or diversions having nothing to do with the issues. A free country can only survive based on responsible citizens who make the effort to become well-informed voters.

Tom Sheahan  
Deer Park

To the Editor:

We frequently hear during political campaigns that it is time for a change. In the Sheriff's Office, there has already been a change. Chief Deputy Gary Berkebile has been serving as acting sheriff for the last two months. Yes, the same

Berkebile with so many community commitments that he uses a listed residential phone number because he wants people to have full access to him. And yes, the same Berkebile who raised two Garrett County farm queens, Lacie and Becky. He does indeed have extensive experience with Garrett County youth and their problems.

Sheriff P.R. "Dick" Sanders has been temporarily disabled by surgery, but acting Sheriff Berkebile has ensured that the department continues operating smoothly. This situation has been a blessing in the sense

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## SINES ENDORSES EDWARDS

My name is John K. Sines and I'm the Chief of Police for the City of Oakland. Many of you have wished me luck on my run for the State Senate. This is to let everyone know that I am not running for State Senate District 1. I am supporting George C. Edwards for the State Senate seat from District 1. I believe George is the best person for the position. George has represented Western Maryland very well in the House of Delegates for the past 24 years and I know he'll do the same good work in the Senate. I'm asking you to support and vote for George C. Edwards for State Senate District 1.

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### Dave Martin

for the position of Clerk of Circuit Court

### Lisa Thayer Welch

for the position of Garrett County State's Attorney



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## Notes From Bittinger

by Joan Giotfelty Sussman

I wrote last week that I was disappointed and appalled that I didn't hunt for monarch caterpillars in time to hatch out butterflies. So many things that I am too late for. But I did not give up totally, as I took a swing on Orndorf Road and saw a healthy looking clump of milkweed. Believe it or not, on top of a leaf there it was - a green-striped worm. A couple days later it attached to the lid of its jar and got ready to turn into a lime green chrysalis. I can't re-

member how long this stage will last. Probably about one week before the beautiful orange, black, and white butterfly appears. Then I will release it in a milk weed patch so it can join its peers for a long flight to Mexico. In spite of my early trouble in finding a caterpillar, according to Kevin Dodge it is an unusually good year for the monarchs.

Ernesto didn't hurt this region too much passing through. We did get a nice rain out of it. It is hard to

believe that autumn colors have already arrived in Bittinger. In fact, we already have many fall colors on the ground leaves in the woods.

I am always delighted to have my college daughters home for the Labor Day weekend, but I didn't get to see them too much, as they were working at the Creamery because of all the holiday tourists. Labor Day is the peak tourist time and their summer jobs are still in force. Their homecoming was delayed because WVU had a home football game with their intra-state rival Marshall. I was not surprised that WVU won it. It is not a big win for the Mountaineers, but if it happened to go the other way, it would be a big feather in the cap for Marshall.

The same situation with the game between William and Mary and the University of Maryland existed on Saturday. Since Robbie Giotfelty played in Maryland's band he was delayed coming home until Sunday morning. He had to join his younger brothers and the White Noise band who played at the Boardwalk at Point View on Labor Day. They had a good crowd including lots of their family members, such as grandmothers and aunts and uncles besides their parents and their young-people following.



**NHS CLASS OF 1960 DONATES STORAGE SHED** - The Northern High School class of 1960 has funded a storage shed for the Cove Run Watershed Research Station. The storage shed is used to store equipment needed to study the watershed. In addition, it provides an appropriate shelter complete with counter tops that can be used by students for direct studies on site. Ordinarily, equipment is carried down to the stream each day and then carried back along with insect samples for study. The shed is designed to provide natural light when performing experiments inside. Jeff Beltzel, carpentry instructor at NHS, and his students constructed the shed. An environmentally friendly bridge is planned to allow students to access both sides of the stream for study. In addition, the bridge will be a platform for taking samples of water for study during times when the stream is too dangerous to allow students to access it from the stream bank. The carpentry class will construct the bridge, and Jim Thomas, director of facilities/maintenance/operations, will oversee the project. Any organization wishing to contribute to the project may contact Bruce Tallafarro at 301-746-8461. "As coordinator of the Hickory Environmental Education Center, I am delighted that the class of 1960 funded the shed project," said Tallafarro. "I can think of no better way to invest than in the education of our children. A plaque will be placed on the building honoring the commitment of the class of 1960 to the environmental education of Garrett County students." Pictured above from the left are Wendell Beltzel and Hugh Umbel, members of the class of 1960, and Tallafarro.

overnights at the home of my mother, Ruth DiPaolo.

### Garrett College To Offer Course In Child Care

A 90-hour training of child care workers course will be offered by the Continuing Education and Workforce Development Division of Garrett College. The course will be held at the Southern Outreach Center, beginning Tuesday, Sept. 12. The sessions will take place on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday from 6 until 9:15 p.m.

For more details or registration information, persons may contact Patricia Baer at 301-334-8304.



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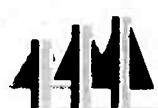
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I have worked hard over the years to get and retain good jobs in Western Maryland. We must continue the types of things we have been doing. Garrett County has the lowest unemployment rate since records have been kept. Allegany County is on the right path within a 5% unemployment rate and Washington County is booming.

I have been able to bring back our tax dollars to help put infrastructure in place to help us move forward including water and sewer projects in almost every community in Allegany and Garrett Counties, school construction, Frostburg State University, Allegany College of Maryland, Garrett College, flood control projects, senior citizens centers, roads, bridges, etc.

A few of the projects and issues in which I have played an influential part include:

- I have worked very closely with NewPage on many of their issues including trucking, renewable energy portfolio issues, tax issues - all of which have saved them thousands of dollars and is helping to keep them competitive
- Industrial Park Development in both Allegany and Garrett Counties within close proximity to existing infrastructure - the Smart Growth way.
- I worked to get help from the state in some manner for • Closet Maid • American Woodmark (both Allegany and Garrett Counties) Phenix Technologies • Simon Pearce • Downtown Cumberland Projects • Hunter Douglas • FEMA • Superfos • Wood Products • Total Bliz Fulfillment • Garrett Container Systems • Mt. Savage Fire Brick • Merkle • Authentic Woodworking • C. Palmer Die Casting • Garrett Mine Supply
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# George C. Edwards

FOR DISTRICT 1 MARYLAND SENATE

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lowing.

By the way, Robbie saw the Newmans from Grantsville and the George family from Accident who were in attendance at the game. They are big Teip fans.

Speaking of the Giotfelty family music activities, Rodney played with the Remedy at Uno's on Saturday and then joined his elementary school music teacher, Lillian Reckner, and other local musicians who are practicing for a concert featuring the Accident Community Band in a concert at Accident Town Park this Sunday, Sept. 10, at 4 p.m.

The dry spell in mid summer in Garrett County ended big time, as it seems to me that it has rained almost every day since the fair. The rainfall is so welcome, but it comes a little too late for our crop fields and our gardens. Every blackberry patch I checked has only tiny dried out berries. This is so disappointing.

Two weeks ago I had to get a biopsy and I am still waiting to get the results. People told me, "No news is good news." I don't believe that. I am afraid the lack of getting the results is because my doctor does not want to be a bearer of bad news to me. The only positive aspect of my annual breast cancer screening is that I realize I don't want to die. But I also don't want to deal

with hospitals, doctors, or surgery. I had way too much of those in 1994 when I had my aneurysm. It is pure hell sitting beside my phone waiting for it to ring. Should I risk going into the kitchen to get some coffee? If I do, my doctor is sure to call when I am too far away to the phone to answer it. I did go into the kitchen and, yes, my phone did ring, but it was my Claire and not my doctor, who wanted to know what I found out about the biopsy.

After I talked to Claire the phone rang again and it was only a telemarketer. I finally gave up waiting and I made a call to the doctor myself. She reported that although I do not have cancer, I still will need some surgery. It is pretty depressing to me as to what the future holds for me.

Courtney Englar had his

usual Labor Day weekend picnic at his house in the Cove. I attended for a while Saturday night. The food was good, but the weather was miserable. Courtney's mother Helen came up for the festivities, and she spent



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# The Garrett County Fraternal Order of Police Lodge #99 Endorses Captain Larry Gnegy For The Position Of Sheriff For Garrett County



Pictured above left to right- Shawn Fratz, P.A.C. Committee Member; Larry Gnegy, Candidate for Garrett County Sheriff; Robbie Zimmerman, Vice President F.O.P. Lodge #99.

## ADMINISTRATION

- Police Supervisor
- Police Administrator
- Jail Administrator for the Garrett County Detention Center

## COOPERATION

- As a certified police training instructor Larry Gnegy has provided training for Sheriffs Department Deputies, Correctional Officers, Oakland City Police Officers, Department of Natural Resource Officers, Maryland Forest and Park Service personnel, and the Maryland State Police, as well as other allied agencies in the surrounding states and counties.

## DEDICATION

- Has served as a police officer in Garrett County since 1975 and he has served in the Sheriffs Department since 1979.
- Life-long resident of Garrett County

## COMMUNITY SERVICE

- Dove Center Board of Directors
- Garrett County Family Violence Coalition.
- Cindy's Fund "Promotes Cancer Screening"

**VOTE TUESDAY, SEPT. 12**

The Fraternal Order of Police Lodge #99 comprises active and retired police officers from Garrett County, including the Garrett County Sheriff's Office, Oakland City Police Department, Department of Natural Resources, Maryland Forest and Park Service Rangers, State Fire Marshal's Office, Federal Bureau of Mine Inspectors, as well as many associate members from Garrett County.

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**SOUTHERN HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF '66 REUNITES** — Members of the 1966 graduating class of Southern High School gathered recently to celebrate their 40th year reunion. They met for dinner at Will O' the Wisp on Saturday, July 22, and then assembled again the next day for a picnic at Harrington Manor State Park. In the front row, left to right, are Shelby Ashby Witt, Linda Bowman Green, Margie Broadwater Uphold, Carla Savage Dintaman, Sandy Whitacre Jamison, Wanda Glatfelter Riley, Ann Friend Ellis, Judy Sines Lambert, Linda Tichnell Margraff, Suzanne Faulkner Glatfelter, Rose Del-

Signore Bosley, Carol Pelton, Linda Shank Riley, and Bill Thrasher. Standing in the same order are Ron Craver, Diane Morrow Avona, Charlie Teets, Fannie Hinebaugh Johnson, Bill Rinninger, Roger Uphold, Larry Glatfelter, Eugene Pysell, Larry Wagner, Terry Schlossnagle, Dave Lewis, Bill Mattingly, Ernie Foglepole, Vic Dilgard, Paul Everly, Larry Schroyer, Ken Jamison, and Vernon Schroyer. Joining the classmates for the evening were former teachers Leroy Bolding, Wayne Johnson, and Tom Kuhn.

## Gasoline Prices Lowest Level Since Mid-April

Yesterday marked the one-year anniversary of Maryland's highest-ever recorded price for a gallon of self-serve regular gasoline. Last year's price of \$3.27 occurred after the landfall of

Hurricane Katrina when gasoline prices skyrocketed as a result of the disruption of domestic fuel supplies and refinery capacity in the oil-rich Gulf of Mexico.

Today's average of \$2.77 in Maryland is 50 cents lower than last year and as the summer driving season has officially come to an end, consumers in Mary-

land and the rest of the nation continue to watch gas prices decline to their lowest levels since the second week of April.

"This time last year in the wake of Hurricane Katrina, consumers in Maryland experienced the unforgettable sting of gas prices rising 53 cents in a single day and hovering near \$4 a

gallon in some parts of the state," said Ragina C. Averella, manager of Public and Government Affairs for AAA Mid-Atlantic. "This year, the combination of the relatively tame Atlantic hurricane season and the in-

crease of domestic fuel inventories, due to the end of the summer driving season, has everyone feeling a little bit better when filling up." She added, "It is important to note that, despite these recent decreases, gasoline prices overall are still higher than what we are accustomed to paying. During the first week of December 2005, the average price for a gallon of gasoline in Maryland was \$2.13. We are hopeful that this trend of falling gasoline prices continues even further."

According to today's Fuel Gauge Report from AAA Mid-Atlantic, the average for a gallon of self-serve regular gasoline in Maryland is \$2.77. Gas prices fell 7 cents since this past weekend and 32 cents since last month. The last time Maryland's price for gasoline averaged \$2.77 was April 14, almost five months ago.

The national average is \$2.72, also 32 cents lower than last month and 34 cents less than the national all-time highest price of \$3.06 recorded on September 5 of last year.

## Asset Builders Workshops Set By Comm. Action

Garrett County Community Action Committee Inc. will host Asset Builders workshops to prepare students for life after high school.

These workshops are free of charge, are held from 6 until 7 p.m., and are held at the Mary Browning Center in Oakland. The schedule is as follows: Wednesday,

Oct. 4; Wednesday, Oct. 11; and Wednesday, Oct. 18.

GCCAC can provide up to \$1,000 toward college or trade school expenses, such as tuition, room, and board, books, or a new computer for students who participate in the Asset Builders program. For every \$1 the students place in their own savings account at the bank of their choice, GCCAC will set aside \$2 toward college or trade school expenses, said a spokesperson. In fact, GCCAC may also be able to assist juniors

and seniors with expenses associated with opening their own business, added a spokesperson. It is offered on a first-come, first-served basis for the first 30 qualifying students.

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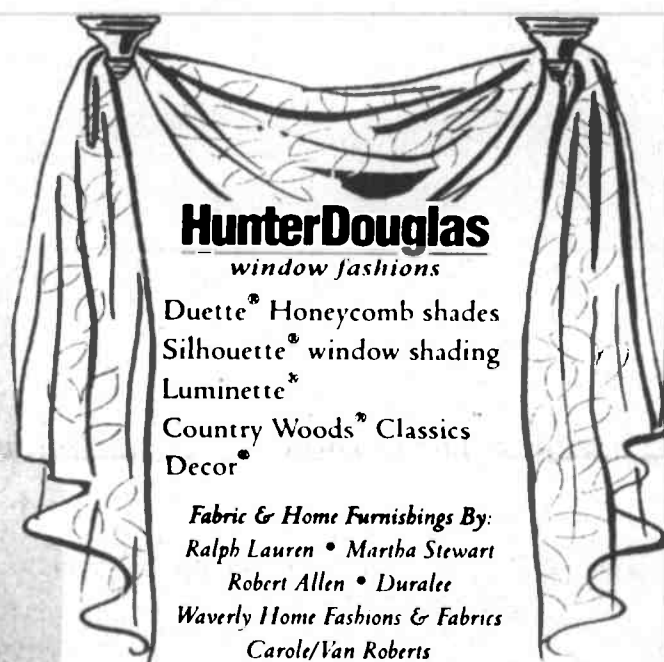
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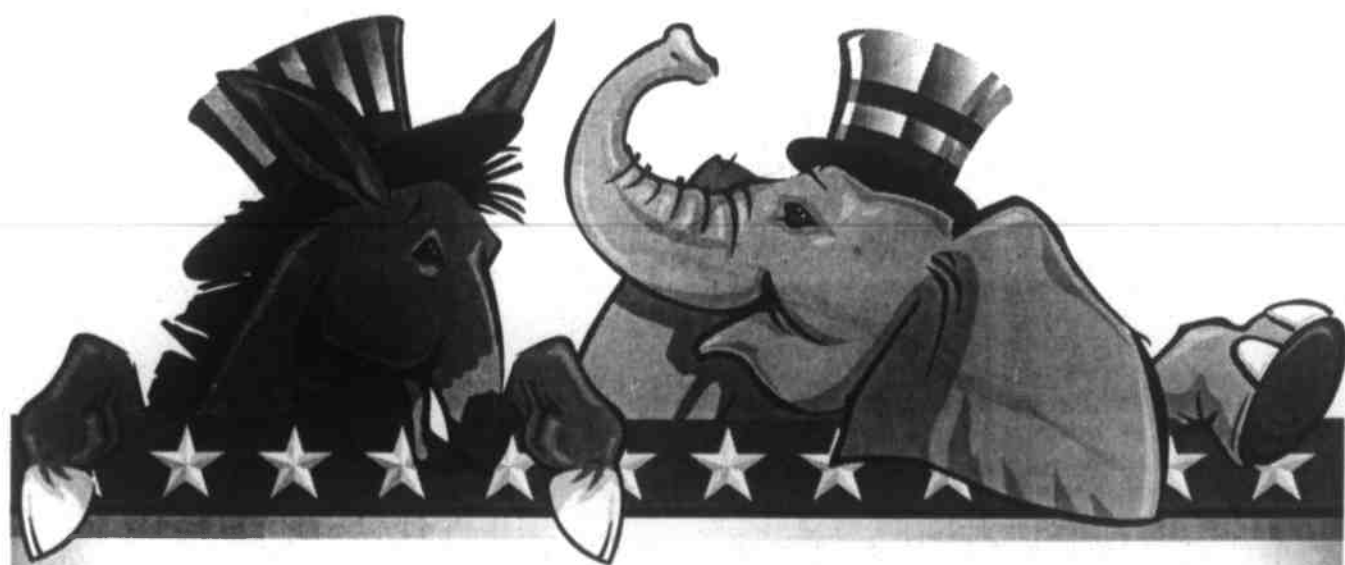
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Letters

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that it has given us a chance to see how well the office would function under his command.

Nine years ago, Sheriff Sanders made one of his most critical decisions, announcing that his "only choice" for Chief Deputy was Gary Berkebile. Today, Garrett County cannot ask for finer police service. That is hardly an accident.

Retiring Sheriff Sanders has now endorsed Gary Berkebile as the most qualified candidate to succeed him. I wholeheartedly second this endorsement.

Sincerely,  
Craig Speicher  
Grantsville native

To the Editor:

Primary election is fast approaching, with a lot of choices to be made by voters in Garrett County. All are important decisions, but choosing our next sheriff probably affects more of us on the one-on-one level. All have experience to enforce the law, and leadership can be looked at in many capacities.

While some contend a "county man for a county job," it's unfair to say that if a birth certificate doesn't say "Garrett County," they're not part of our county, when in fact they have lived here with their family as long as some lifelong residents. I was born and raised here and then moved away, but chose to move back here to raise our children. Some-

one who has never left Garrett County cannot truly appreciate what we have here.

I know more about Gary Berkebile, candidate for sheriff, than of the other candidates. Though some may feel being a state trooper and then coming back to work in the sheriff's office means you aren't county, through and through, I look at the wider range of experience he brings with him. We are blessed to live in an area with low crime and less violence...but some live with blinders on and don't realize the potential of how close it could be. The wealth of knowledge from seeing it first-hand and actual hands-on experience outweigh the "local boy" syndrome that we need to look past.

Gary and his family are involved in 4-H. It's there that I see him work with our youth and gain their respect, not just as an officer of the law, but as someone they can turn to for advice or even have a water battle with at the end of a long fair week. He's proud of not just his daughters and their accomplishments, but all of the kids that he is around at 4-H, FFA and school events.

Our youth are our most important treasure. Putting your trust on someone who values our youth, with the experience and leadership gained, not only in his years as a state police officer, but also working with Sheriff Dick Sanders and taking on the added responsibility during Sheriff Sanders' absence in dealing with prostate cancer, make Gary Berkebile the right choice as sheriff of Garrett County.

Lisa Skipper

To the Editor:

Nine years ago I selected Gary Berkebile to serve as my chief deputy at the Garrett County Sheriff's Office. Chief deputy is a position of tremendous responsibility and trust. During the ensuing nine years Berkebile has never let me or you, the citizens of Garrett County, down. I've known Gary Berkebile since 1972. His integrity, dedication to service, and his dependability have never wavered.

I have known the candidates for many years, and am familiar with the abilities of each. The position of sheriff is a difficult one, requiring sound judgment and the ability to make good decisions, sometimes with limited information. Having served as your sheriff, I know Gary Berkebile has what it takes to best serve the sheriff's office and the community.

Recently I underwent surgery which left me temporarily unable to fulfill my duties as sheriff. Major Gary Berkebile, as chief deputy, has been your acting sheriff since July 6, and will continue to do so. I want to publicly thank him for the exceptional job he has done and continues to do while I recover.

Gary Berkebile places duty above politics. He is a tried and tested leader, an outstanding police officer, and an involved member of

our community, even in off-election years. For these reasons I support Gary Berkebile, and hope you will elect him as your next Sheriff.

Sheriff P.R. (Dick) Sanders

To the Editor:

With yet another voting season upon us, it's time to again think about the choices that are presented to us. Personally, I have been rather disenchanted with the performance of many of the people whom we have elected in the past. Whenever I think of the direction that Garrett County seems to be headed in, I feel rather frustrated in the fact that our elected officials seem to allow Deep Creek Lake to govern our direction rather than what's best for those of us who were born and raised here. The uncontrolled growth will come back to haunt us in the end, and if we natives don't voice our opinions soon, there will be nothing left here to keep us wanting to stay here. It seems a shame that the natives who live and work here can no longer afford to even buy a house or lot because of the over-inflated land values. Now, prices have gone even beyond what many city people can afford, and they are grabbing up property in the outlying areas, which has driven the market to absurd price levels.

I think we need to carefully consider whom we elect as our next delegates and commissioners, and their motives. There is a trade-off for those of us who have chosen to stay here

and raise a family - we are willing to earn less money in lieu of our natural beauty and surroundings, but when we have to compete with people who make many times more than we do, it makes one feel a bit less appreciated when you can't afford to even live and work here anymore. So I urge all of us to carefully search out the true motives of those who have decided they want to be our public servants. Find out what their motives are based on. Ask some hard questions. Don't let them back down in their answers. We need accountability if we are to keep what's left of the integrity of Garrett County intact.

Lastly, for those who have children here, just ponder for a minute how your kids are going to buy a house here when they are old enough to start their own family, based on a tourist-area salary of 6 or 7

dollars an hour. Ask. Think. Vote.

Sincerely,  
Jeff Bender  
Accident

To the Editor:

The election of a new sheriff requires that we look at experience, professionalism, and dependability as well as community involvement, etc.

Gary Berkebile, in my opinion, is the leader in all of these areas. His career includes: D.C. Metro police (3 yrs.), Md. State Police (25 yrs.), Chief Deputy Garrett County police (9 yrs.) - totaling 37 years worth of experience on which to call upon when needed. Did anyone notice the seamless transition as Berkebile has been acting sheriff in Dick Sanders' absence. Gary Berkebile has the experience.

Major Berkebile has shown nothing but profes-

sionalism throughout his career. He handles situations to any problems encountered with respect, dignity, and a tactful manner. Gary Berkebile is a true professional.

Mr. Berkebile is a dependable county employee and takes his job very seriously. He remained in Garrett County to serve the county he loves rather than accept personal advancements. Garrett County can depend on Gary Berkebile.

And one of the most admirable qualities is Gary Berkebile's worth to our county's youth. Gary is involved in Garrett County 4-H and FFA projects and with the Livestock Associa-

tion and Garrett County fair, as well as others. I am very impressed with his involvement with our youth and their lives, and I know that he is a positive influence on them in this capacity. Gary Berkebile is a believer in Garrett County's young people!

One last item that I would like to touch on is the double dipping "issue." Yes, Major Berkebile is retired from the Md. State Police (no secret), and is the current chief deputy of Garrett County's force. That just equals more experience, more exposure to the possible encounters that may be met. This is Garrett

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We have all known **Gary Berkebile** for more than 25 years. He is the only candidate that possesses the necessary attributes, ability and experience to administer and lead a modern law enforcement agency into the future. To that end, we strongly urge you to cast your vote for **Gary Berkebile** as your Sheriff.

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Market report for Monday, September 4, 2006

Stock Steers and Bulls (200-500 lbs.), \$80-124; Stock Heifers, \$75-106. Slaughter Steers, good to choice, \$85-91; medium to good, \$80-84.50; heavy choice (over 1,450 lbs.), \$75-82.50. Holstein Steers, heavy choice, \$60-75; light (500 to 600 lbs.), up to \$81. Slaughter Heifers, good to choice, \$81-87; medium to good, \$75-82.50. Bulls, heavy, \$51.50-60; light, \$55-71. Cows, utility, \$45-52.25; commercial to good, \$43-47; culls, \$39 and down. Veals, good to choice, \$40-115; medium to good, \$50-67. Bob Calves, \$50 and down. Holstein Bull Calves, return to farm (85-120 lbs.), up to \$207.50. Holstein Heifer Calves, return to farm (85-120 lbs.), up to \$500. Beef Cross Calves, return to farm, up to \$245.

Hogs, top quality, up to \$51. Sows, up to \$33.

Lambs, choice, up to \$101.50.

Goats, choice (by head), \$20-62.

Livestock prices are all given per hundredweight.

### GRANTSVILLE STOCKYARDS

Market report for Saturday, September 2, 2006

Stock Steers & Bulls (200-500 lbs.), \$70-130. Stock Heifers, \$70-122.50. Slaughter Steers, good to choice, up to \$85; medium to good, \$60-74. Holstein Steers, good, \$48-65; light, up to \$95. Slaughter Heifers, good to choice, up to \$79.50; medium to good, \$55-76. Bulls, heavy, \$48-60; light, \$60-72. Cows, utility (Holsteins), \$45-51; cangers, \$40-44; culls, \$38 and down. Bob Calves, \$62.50 & down. Holstein Bull Calves, return to farm (90-120 lbs.), up to \$170. Holstein Heifer Calves, return to farm, up to \$260. Beef Cross Calves, return to farm, up to \$135.

Hogs, top quality, up to \$50; heavy, up to \$49; light, \$20-47; feeder pigs, by head, up to \$34. Sows, up to \$35. Male Hogs, \$8-50.

Lambs (70-85 lbs.), up to \$100; (85-125 lbs.), up to \$100; (30-60 lbs.), up to \$115; culls, up to \$75. Sheep, up to \$52.50, fat sheep, up to \$35.

Goats, large, by head, \$85-100; medium, by head, \$25-80; small, by head, \$10-50; kid, by head, \$5-40.

Livestock prices are all given per hundredweight.

### Man Charged

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jured, and was transported to the Garrett County Detention Center, where he is awaiting a bond hearing, police said.

In other police news, Andrew Charles Roth, 19, lost control of his vehicle early Monday morning on Garrett Highway approximately 100 yards north of the Blue Ribbon Road intersection, police said.

Roth told police he saw a deer in the dense fog, and lost control and struck a drainage ditch. Roth suffered only minor injuries, and the vehicle sustained extensive damage.

Oakland firefighters and Southern Rescue Squad assisted at the 5:30 a.m. scene.

In a separate incident, Matthew Morgan, 18, Oakland, was charged with failure to control speed to avoid a collision. According to police, Morgan's vehicle rear-ended another vehicle, operated by Michael Elliott, 34, McHenry, as it was slowing to turn into the landfill's driveway on Oakland Sang Run Road on Friday. No injuries were reported.



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**SOME FINE HOLSTEINS** traveled to the fairgrounds for the Garrett County Holstein Show on Aug. 3. Pictured above, from left, are Nikki Bender, Garrett/

Allegany County dairy princess and alternate Maryland state dairy princess; Mervin Yoder with the grand champion of the open show; Don Alexander, Judge; Kenton Bender with reserve grand champion of the open show; and Becky Berkebile, 2005 Garrett County farm queen. Pictured below are junior champion winners. From left are Amber Kling with the reserve junior champion and Chelsi Kling with the junior champion.



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Cash Grain Prices: #2 Yellow Shelled Corn, \$2.45/bu.; Yellow Soybeans, \$4.83/bu.; Red Winter Wheat, \$3.18/bu.; #3 Barley, \$1.55/bu.

Hay & Straw Prices - New Holland, PA: Alfalfa, \$117-195/ton; Mixed Hay, \$90-210/ton; Timothy, \$160/ton; Orchard Grass, \$97-220/ton; Straw, \$95-160/ton.

Westminster, MD: Alfalfa, \$2.50-3.90/bale; Alfalfa Mix, \$2.00-2.70/bale; Timothy, \$2.60-4.90/bale; Timothy Mix, \$1.30-3.80/bale; Grass Mix, \$2.30-4.70/bale; Straw, \$2.20-3.10/bale.

### Lambs - Westminster, MD

Lambs (under 50 lbs.), \$87.50-97.50; (50-80 lbs.), \$80-102; (90-130 lbs.), \$90-107.50. Sheep, \$31-56. Too Fat, \$30.

### Winchester, VA - Stocker-Feeder Cattle (\$/100 wt.)

Steers (300-400 lbs.), \$130.50-143.50; (400-500 lbs.), \$130.50-147; (500-600 lbs.), \$115-125.50; (600-700 lbs.), \$108.50-124.50; (700-800 lbs.), \$101-111; (800-900 lbs.), \$91-96. Heifers (300-400 lbs.), \$118.50-134; (400-500 lbs.), \$107.25-122; (500-600 lbs.), \$102-114.50; (600-700 lbs.), \$100-105.50; (700-800 lbs.), \$96-100.

### Slaughter Cattle - Westminster, MD

Fed Steers: Choice, \$82.75-84.50; Select, \$77. Fed Heifers: Choice, \$84.25-88.50; Holsteins, \$70-77; Culls, \$60-100; Jerseys, \$25-70. Slaughter Cows: Premium, \$47-51.25; Breakers, \$42-45; Boners, \$37-42; Thin & Weak, \$36 & down.

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- Oakland Mountain Lake Park Lions Club (27 years, having held every office including President and two years as Zone Chairman for all Garrett County clubs)
- American Legion Member-Proctor Kildow 35 Years
- Founding Member Southern Garrett Athletic Association

As your County Commissioner, I am proud to have been an active volunteer in these and many other political and community endeavors.

By authority: Beverly J. Beard

**Let's Continue What We Started, Together!**



## Letters

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County's first line of defense, I personally would rather have that experience to benefit our county and its people. Check and see how many employees of the county are "retired" or can be... no issue!

Gary Berkebile: experienced, dedicated, involved, and professional. A great fit for the safety of our county and the youth of our county. A husband, a father, a friend, a farmer, a Garrett County resident. Gary Berkebile is the best choice for sheriff of Garrett County!!

Thanks for your time. Don't forget to vote on September 12! Vote Gary Berkebile for sheriff!

Kris DeWitt  
A lifetime resident of Garrett County

To the Editor:

I am writing this letter in response to a letter written by Randy Resh in your August 31 issue. In this letter, Mr. Resh stated that Garrett County deputies were the weaker sisters to troopers at barrack W and that deputies failed to do their job by turning over complaints to the Maryland State Police. Statements like this astound me. Not only are these statements untrue, they are mean spirited.

As a former Garrett County deputy, I never turned over an investigation to a trooper. As a matter of fact, I never saw any deputy do this. The facts are, that we received training comparable to the Maryland State Police as was required by the Police Officers Training Commission. The standards put forth by the commission are required for every law enforcement officer in the state of Maryland, deputies, DNR, and troopers alike.

I would also like to say that most deputies performed their jobs with a high degree of professionalism, just as most troopers do. In fact, when I was a deputy, we assisted each other routinely by backing each other up on complaints and helping out whenever there was a need. Deputies and troopers supported each other both on and off duty, and I still retain friendships with many troopers to this day.

In closing, I would like to say, Mr. Resh, that you owe an apology to past deputies, and I hope that you will be professional enough to realize this. If not, then I guess the friendship you and deputies shared over the past many years means nothing.

Sincerely,  
Mark Proulx

To the Editor:

As a member of the Garrett County Sheriff's Office, I can honestly say that election years are some of the most difficult times I have ever faced. When I am forced to choose between individuals whom I have the utmost respect for it makes it twice as difficult. These decisions can cause hardships among the best of friends and family and can make a working environment extremely tense. But I deal with it and I choose sides because many of the friends I work with served in the armed forces to preserve that right for me.

I was hired at the Sheriff's Office in 1995 because Dick Sanders chose to put a little faith in a West Virginian looking for a job. I am not a native of your wonderful county, yet I choose to raise my family here and call it my home. For someone to shine a lesser light on me because I was not born at Garrett Memorial would be a great insult to me just as it would be to your children if they should have to one day move to West Virginia to support their family.

I can say that I have never worked for two better individuals than Sheriff Dick Sanders and Major Gary Berkebile, nor have I ever had the pleasure of working with a better group of professionals as those at the Garrett County Sheriff's Office.

I choose to support Gary Berkebile for the sheriff's race, not because I feel that he is a better individual than his opponents, but because he has supported me throughout my career. This administration has allowed me to develop and teach programs that make our communities better - programs that teach our kids about violence and drugs, teach our senior citizens about how to protect themselves, and programs that make adults aware of what our children are up against. The support that Gary Berkebile has given to the community, state, and local agencies and to the Board of Education is overwhelming, and I am honored to follow in the footsteps of the other officers who have had the opportunity to educate the public and teach in our schools. I have also received tremendous support from local agencies, schools, church groups, youth groups, and you.

I am honored to make Garrett County my home, and I thank all of you who have treated me as one of your own.

Respectfully,  
Robert Corley

To the Editor,

In this week's *Republican* I read, "It's never too late to do the right thing!" I also think that the bypass is a very great mistake for the following reasons:

1. It will divide the towns of Oakland and Mtn. Lake Park. When the "new" Route 135 was built through Mtn. Lake Park, the "new" route cut off some of the lettered streets. It has divided the town by "Which side of 135 do you live on?" But this is nothing compared to what the bypass would do to Mtn. Lake Park and Oakland.

2. Other than I-68, this would be the only four-lane highway in the county. I am concerned about the changes in speed limit between 219 N, the bypass, and 219 S.

3. Every day heavy trucks coming south on 219 turn left onto Sand Flat Road, which is not built to handle heavy trucks. Why do trucks do this? Are they bypassing Oakland or the weigh station on I-68?

4. I hate to see good farmland paved for highways or housing. If bio-fuels are the energy of the future, where are we going to raise these fuels? For 34 years I have noticed the productivity of what we call "Winter's farm" on Dennett Road. There is also a pond on that farm which helps protect Oakland from flooding. The bypass would also bisect the historic DeBerry farm.

5. I don't believe that the traffic in Oakland is heavy enough to warrant a bypass. There are peak traffic times in the morning, at noon, and in the late afternoon, but these may be people who work or shop in Oakland. Other drivers can find their own ways to bypass downtown Oakland during these times.

6. So much has been done to make Oakland an inviting, destination place that I would now want to discourage people from coming into Oakland.

Improving Route 495 sounds like a good idea to me, particularly near the Meadow Mtn. Mennonite Church, the hill down to the brick plant, and the hill from the interstate south. From the Southern Industrial Park it would be a straight shot to the inter-

state. I agree that Route 219 along the lake is too narrow for heavy trucks and that this area is extremely important to our tourist economy. Please stop the bypass.

Virginia M. Grove  
Mtn. Lake Park

To the Editor:

It was our pleasure to become personally acquainted with Gary Berkebile through the Garrett County Livestock Association a few years ago. Throughout our friendship, we have watched him interact with the children involved in the 4-H and FFA programs in Garrett County. We have seen him in the capacity of a leader, member, and a friend. During this time, he has shown devotion, dedication, and integrity for the betterment of this organization and for the county and the people living within it. He has the ability to make himself

known for his attitude of commitment to his cause. He is involved in many different things and shows the same respect to anyone that he is working with. He can interact with a child and relate to his/her needs and interests, as well as be a stable and thoughtful adult when dealing with the adults and their needs.

Gary has a family and wants what we all want - a safe environment for our children, grandchildren, and ourselves. We feel that his experience with law enforcement would make him the perfect leader of our county law enforcement agency. Having worked with Sheriff Dick Sanders and having filled the position of sheriff since Mr. Sanders's illness, he has had the experience needed to be a good leader and respect the need for strong budget management. His involve-

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ment with so many different age groups would be an asset when dealing with the legal problems that we have in our area. The influence that Gary has with the younger generation and the respect that he has earned with this generation would help him to be a great leader of the generation that will soon be our leaders in

Garrett County. If his devotion and dedication to the young adults would help just one of them make the right decision about the direction of his or her life, he would have succeeded in helping to perform a miracle. We feel that his integrity and personification has already changed the lives of some young adults.

We strongly support Gary Berkebile and ask that each and every one of you seriously consider him for your vote on September 12. He is the man to make good things happen in Garrett County through his insight into what we need and how to achieve it.

Thank you,  
Dale and Millie Hutzel

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**GA6159411 - \$88,500**  
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**GA6133304 - \$599,000**  
Beautiful 36.32 acre parcel with breathtaking 360 degree views. This property allows you great views of the surrounding mountains and Deep Creek Lake. Existing home is a tear down; original barn still stands. Development potential!

**GA6165223 - \$299,900**  
This 72 acre lot is located in the beautiful mountaintop community of Highline. Enjoy the jog/walking path as well as access to the slopes at Wisp Ski & Golf Resort.

**GA6163282 - \$110,000**  
Lovely wooded lot with pastoral views, minutes from DCL State Park. Perfect location for a cabin in the woods.

**Bethlehem Road Lots**  
25 acres each, reclaimed strip mine, largely wooded. Lot A with pond. Perfect for outdoor recreation and hunting.  
Lot A - **GA6174583 - \$89,000**  
Lot B - **GA6174668 - \$79,000**  
Lot C - **GA6174694 - \$79,000**  
Lot D - **GA6174718 - \$79,000**

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**SS6123328 - \$110,000**  
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**SS6166590 - \$49,900**  
Level building lot in the heart of Confluence. Can be used as residential, commercial or both. Great location for a storage business.



**GA5329820 - \$1,399,000**  
Perched atop the mountain, 800' above the lake, "VAHALLA" is a custom-built home offering a media room, sauna, wine cellar, library, private office, grant staircase, custom furnishings amidst the soaring beams and unique design.



**GA5490577 - \$699,000**  
"Shooting Stars" This mountain chalet w/lake views, within walking distance to the slopes, Olympic Whitewater Rafting course and village is great for year-round recreation. Sold furnished, established rental history.



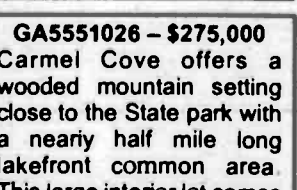
**GA6136800 - \$385,000**  
Beautiful ski-in/ski-out townhome. This 2BR townhome has breathtaking year-round views of Deep Creek Lake and a stone fireplace and hot tub to enjoy on those cold winter evenings. Seller is offering a \$5,000 upgrade allowance in addition to the new roof & exterior painting already completed!



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**GA5518193 - \$285,000**  
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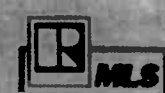
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'88 GMC 20 ft. box truck, '94 Bonneville, '74 GMC rollback, '73 Chevy rollback, '92 F150 4x4 crew cab, 2001 Ford 4x4 53,000 original miles, 1950 FarmAll M tractor w/canopy, 1948 FarmAll H tractor w/dump bucket, antique Mule saw, Schramm air compressor, 125,000 BTU gas/propane forced air furnace, duct work, pipe, filter, elec. recliner lift chair, handmade china cabinet, gun cabinet, brake lathe, digital speed balancer, foot pedal truck tire changer w/safety cage, antique spittoon, blacksmith items, Bowie knife, knives, Confederate money, silver coins, old coins, salt & pepper shakers, air conditioners, Husky 54" cut 25 hp twin engine gas pedal cruise control riding tractor w/attachments, horse-drawn leveler, antique sausage stuffer 1 hp on bench, china, lg. kettle w/stand, a lot of items not listed. Something for everyone.

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## PUBLIC AUCTION

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Antique Collectibles and Other Items: Charlie McCarthy doll, oil lamps, wooden cigar boxes, metal candy boxes, mandolin, small Switzer music box, Depression glass, milk bottles (Gnagly, Walker, and others), Yeagley bottles (Confluence), graniteware, 45 pieces of Mexican Fiesta ware, Bavarian china (service for eight), White House vinegar bottles, clay pipe bowls, metal tins, postcards, carbide lamps, single blade razors, oil lamp, View Master w/glass slides, brass car horns, old topography maps, wooden game boards, cherry seeder, fruit press, glass paperweights, cast iron candle holders, Wilcox silver creamer and sugar, DC telephone, lanterns, Crosley radio, field phone, cow bells, horse items, pie board, copper and cast iron butchering kettles, two switch locks (B&O and WM), sausage press, Acme ice cream maker, wooden keeler, pottery jugs, crocks (as is), chicken crates, piano stool, vintage ladies' hats, some hand tools, steel burr mill, gas station kerosene tank and pump, and Menzie milk box.

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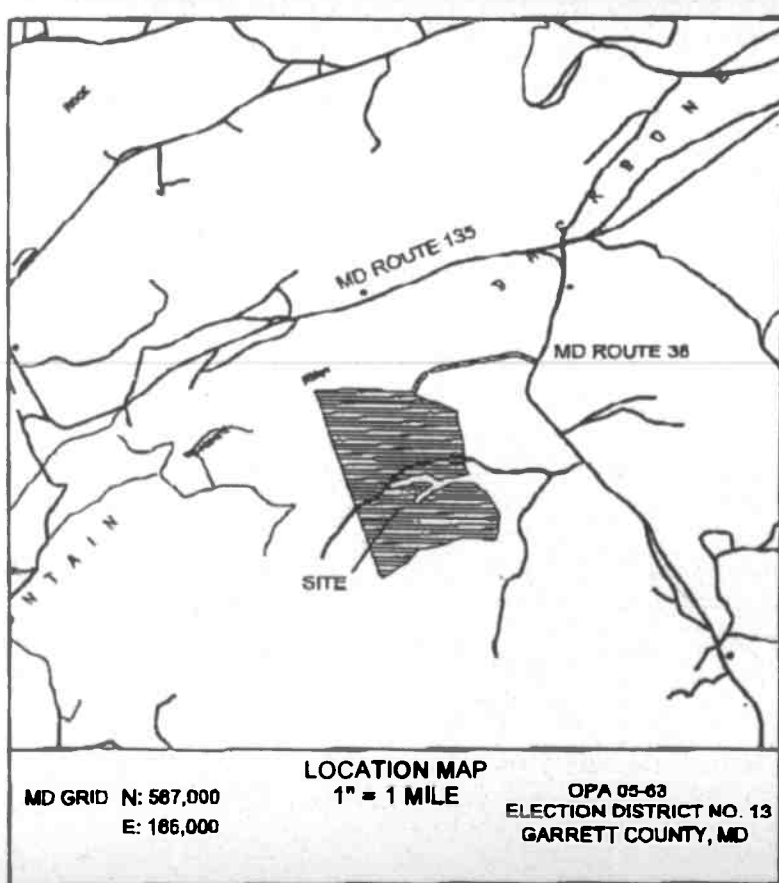
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**Uniontown, PA**  
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## NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR STRIP MINE PERMIT



Notice is hereby given that Vindex Energy Corporation, 2708 Cranberry Square, Morgantown, West Virginia 26508 in compliance with Maryland's Federally approved Strip Mine Control and Reclamation Program, has submitted an application for a surface mine operation located near Kitzmiller, Maryland.

The proposed operation occupies a 371 acre tract on the west side of Wolfden Run, off State Route 38 near Kitzmiller, Maryland in Election District 1 Garrett County, Maryland. Access to the site will be from a newly constructed road located approximately one mile south of the intersection of State Route 38 and State Route 135.

Surface of the area to be mined is owned by Douglas Coal Company, P.O. Box 230, Elkins, WV 26241. Mineral of the area to be mined is owned by Douglas Coal Company, P.O. Box 230, Elkins, WV 26241.

The permit area is within the U.S. Geologic Survey Deer Park and Kitzmiller 7.5 minute quadrangle maps. The location is indicated on the vicinity map.

The application includes plans to construct four ponds to control sediment and storm water on the mining area. The ponds will be located within the proposed mine permit area. In addition to a surface coal mining permit, the construction of the ponds will require a separate small pond approval from the Maryland Bureau of Mines (MD BOM).

A copy of the permit application, which includes the pond plans for the small pond approval, is available for public review during regular office hours at the MD BOM office, 160 South Water Street, Frostburg, MD 21532 and the Soil Conservation District Office located at 2008 Maryland Highway, Oakland, Maryland 21550.

Questions concerning this permit application may be directed to Greg Nair, Patriot Mining Co. Inc., 2708 Cranberry Square, Morgantown, WV 26508 or the MD BOM, Coal Permitting Section (301-689-6405).

A public hearing will not be held on this proposed activity unless requested. Written comments, requests for a public hearing, and requests to be included on the interested persons list regarding this application will be received until October 14, 2006 by the Director, MD BOM, 160 South Water Street, Frostburg, MD 21532.

Further notices about this application will be provided only by mail to those persons that submit comments, request a public hearing, or request to be included on the list of interested persons.

File No.: OPA-05-63  
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the claims within two months from the mailing or other delivery of the notice. A claim not presented or filed on or before that date, or any extension provided by law, is unenforceable thereafter. Claim forms may be obtained from the Register of Wills.

Name of newspaper designated by personal representative: *The Republican*.  
Date of Publication: September 7, 2006.

Robert Daniel Warmick  
Personal Representative  
Joseph DiSimone  
Register of Wills  
for Garrett County  
Room 103 Courthouse  
313 E. Alder Street  
Oakland, MD 21550

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## PUBLIC NOTICE

The Deep Creek Watershed Board of Zoning Appeals will conduct a public hearing on Thursday, September 21, 2006, starting at 7:30 p.m. in the County Commissioners' meeting room, second floor, Courthouse Annex, Oakland. The Board will review the following docketed cases:

1. SE-374 - an application submitted by Railey Realty for a Special Exception permit to establish a temporary real estate office in an existing building. The property is located in the Ridgeview Valley Subdivision at 912 Gravelly Run Road (tax map 50, parcel 14) and is zoned Lake Residential (LR).

2. SE-375 - an application submitted by St. Moritz Properties, LLC, for a Special Exception permit to construct an additional indoor boat storage building on property currently being used for boat storage. The property is located at 683 Harvey Peninsula Road and is zoned LR.

3. VR-615 - an application submitted by Roger Cutright of Silver Tree Enterprises, LLC, for Variances to allow the construction of condominium units that would come within 5.0 feet of a rear property line, instead of the required 15.0 feet, and decks to come within 0.0 feet of the same rear property line, instead of the required 5.0 feet. This application was continued from the August meeting of the Board. The property is located at 567 Glendale Road, tax map 58, parcel 740, and is zoned Town Center.

4. VR-618 - an application submitted by Bruce Swift of S and F Ventures, LLC, for Variances to allow the construction of a residence to come within 12.0 feet of both side property lines, instead of the required 15.0 feet. The applicant also proposes to allow the residence to come within 36.0 feet of the front property

line, instead of the required 40.0 feet. The property is located adjacent to 52 Glendale Lanes, tax map 50, parcel 396, Lot 7 and is zoned LR.

Interested persons are invited to attend.  
By Authority of the Board of Zoning Appeals

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MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT  
WATER MANAGEMENT ADMINISTRATION  
NOTICE OF APPLICATION RECEIVED AND TENTATIVE DETERMINATION

Application for State Discharge Permit 06-DP-0323:

Garrett County  
Wood Products Inc., P.O. Box 189, Oakland, MD 21550, submitted an application to renew a permit to discharge boiler blowdown water from a sawmill, located at 236 Lumber City Road, to ground water via overland flow. This permit also authorizes the discharge of industrial storm water associated with sawmill operations according to a storm water management plan developed by the permittee.

A tentative determination has been made by the Department to issue the permit with operational and maintenance requirements to protect waters of the State, and requirements to develop and comply with a storm water management plan.

An informational meeting on the application and/or a public hearing on the above tentative determination will be scheduled if a written request is received by September 21, 2006. The request should be sent to the Maryland Department of the Environment, Water Management Administration, 1800 Washington Blvd., Baltimore, Maryland 21230-1708, Attn.: Dr. Ching-Tzone Tien and must include the name, address, and telephone number (home and work) of the person making the request, the name of any other party whom the person making the request may represent, and the name of the facility and permit number. Failure to request a meeting or hearing by September 21, 2006, will constitute a waiver of the right to an informational meeting or public hearing on the tentative determination.

Written comments concerning this tentative determination will be considered in the preparation of a final determination if submitted to the Department, to the attention of Dr. Ching-Tzone Tien, Chief, Ground Water Discharge Permits Division, at the above address, on or before October 2, 2006. Any hearing-impaired person who requests an informational meeting or public hearing may also request an interpreter by contacting Dr. Tien at 410-537-3662 or 800-633-6101 or by written request to the above address at least ten working days prior to the scheduled meeting or hearing date.

Information supporting the tentative determination, including the application, fact sheet, and draft permit, may be reviewed by contacting Dr. Tien by telephone to make an appointment or by written request to the above address. Copies of documents may be obtained at a cost of \$0.36 per page.

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MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT  
WATER MANAGEMENT ADMINISTRATION  
NOTICE OF TENTATIVE DETERMINATION

Garrett County  
Application for State Discharge Permit 06-DP-3554, NP-PES permit MD0069701:

Aspen Woods East, LLC, and Aspen Woods West, LLC, 11 Oak Court, Annapolis, MD 21401, applied for a new permit to discharge an average of 80,000 gallons per day of treated domestic wastewater from the Aspen Woods Wastewater Treatment Plant located on Garrett Highway in McHenry to Ginseng Run. The Department is rejecting the discharge permit application because it is inconsistent with the approved Garrett County Water and Sewerage Plan. The Department did not approve the amendment submitted by Garrett County for this project because the Maryland Department of Planning has determined that the amendment is inconsistent with the Garrett County Comprehensive Plan. The land is designated a Rural Area in the Land Use Plan, which emphasizes the importance of maintaining the historic pattern of agricultural development throughout the rural countryside.

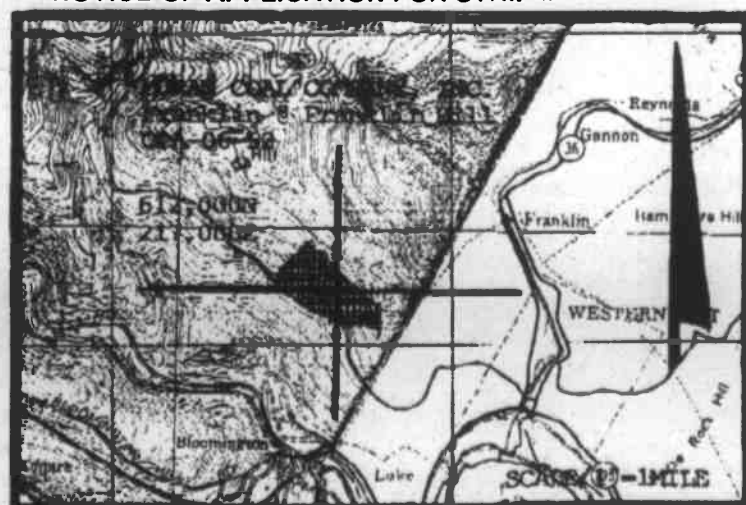
A public hearing on the tentative determination to deny the permit application will be scheduled if a written request is received by September 21, 2006. The request should be sent to the Maryland Department of the Environment, Water Management Administration, 1800 Washington Blvd., Baltimore, Maryland 21230-1708, Attn.: Mr. Stephen Luckman, Chief, Municipal Discharge Permits Division, and must include the name, address and telephone number (home and work) of the person making the request, the name of any other party whom the person making the request may represent, and the name of the facility and permit number. Failure to request a hearing by September 21, 2006, will constitute a waiver of the right to a public hearing on the tentative determination.

Written comments concerning the tentative determination will be considered in the preparation of a final determination if submitted to the Department, to the attention of Mr. Luckman at the above address, on or before October 2, 2006. Any hearing-impaired person who requests a hearing may also request an interpreter at the hearing by contacting Mr. Luckman at 410-537-3671 or 800-633-6101 by written request to the above address at least ten working days prior to the scheduled hearing date.

Information supporting the tentative determination, including the draft permit and fact sheet, may be reviewed by contacting Mr. Luckman at the above telephone number to make an appointment or by written request to Mr. Luckman at the above address. Copies of documents may be obtained at a cost of \$0.36 per page.

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## NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR STRIP MINE PERMIT



Notice is hereby given that Moran Coal Company Inc., P.O. Drawer E, Westernport, Maryland 21562 has submitted an application to the Maryland Bureau of Mines for a surface coal mine operations permit. The operation is to be located near Westernport, Maryland. The proposed operation occupies a 104 acre tract on the north side of Savage River, 1.3 miles northwest of Westernport, Election District 4, Garrett County; 612,00N/217,000E. Access to the site is from Westernport Road, 0.4 mile northwest of the Allegany/Garrett county line.

Surface and mineral of the area to be mined is owned by Moran Coal Company Inc., P.O. Drawer E, Westernport, Maryland 21562. The permit area is located within the U.S. Geologic Barton and Westernport, MD 7.5 minute quadrangles, the boundaries being as shown on the attached sketch.

The application includes plans to construct one (1) pond to control sediment and stormwater on the mining area. In addition to a surface coal mining permit the construction of the pond will require a separate small pond approval from the Bureau of Mines.

A copy of the application, which includes the pond plans for the small pond approval, is available for public review at the Maryland Department of the Environment (Bureau of Mines) Office, 160 South Water Street, Frostburg, Maryland 21532 during normal office hours. Questions concerning any aspect of the application may be directed to Robert L. Dugan Jr., Dugan Associates, 301-689-1568 or the Maryland Bureau of Mines, Permit Section 301-689-6405. A public hearing will not be held on this activity unless requested. Written comments, requests for a public hearing, and requests to be included on the interested persons list regarding this application, will be received until October 14, 2006, by the Director, Maryland Bureau of Mines, 160 South Water Street, Frostburg, Maryland 21532. Attention: OPA-06-52.

Future notices about this application will be provided by mail to those persons that submit comments, request a public hearing or request to be included on the list of interested persons.

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Area office is beginning its review of the application and hereby serves notice of its willingness to accept public comment, in writing until Friday, September 22, 2006. Comments should be addressed to the Deep Creek Lake Recreation Area, 898 State Park Road, Swanton, MD 21561. Comments received after September 22, 2006 cannot be guaranteed inclusion in the review process.

The following is a brief summary of the application. The complete application is on file and available for review at the Deep Creek Lake Management office. For directions or information call 301-387-4111.

"CGL Deep Creek Residence Trust has submitted a Development Permit Application for the use of the lake and buffer strip that includes use of two 5 slip common docks (10 slips) on two lots that have a combined 509.08' of frontage on the Penelec property line. The property is located at 135 and 137 Eagle Scout Lane."

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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT  
NOTICE TO CREDITORS  
NOTICE TO UNKNOWN  
HEIRS

Estate No. 10513

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF:

**LOUISE SPOERLEIN GOSNELL**

Notice is given that Carl W. Gosnell Jr., 239 39th Street, Brigantell, NJ 08203, was on July 26, 2006, appointed Personal Representative of the estate of Louise Spoerlein Gosnell, who died on June 5, 2006, with a will.

Further information can be obtained by reviewing the estate file in the office of the Register of Wills or by contacting the personal representative or the attorney.

All persons having any objection to the appointment (or to the probate of the decedent's will) shall file their objections with the Register of Wills on or before the 28th day of January 2007.

Any person having a claim against the decedent must present the claim to the undersigned personal representative or file it with the Register of Wills with a copy to the undersigned on or before the earlier of the following dates:

(1) Six months from the date of the decedent's death, except if the decedent died before October 1, 1992, nine months from the date of the decedent's death; or

(2) Two months after the personal representative mails or otherwise delivers to the creditor a copy of this published notice or other written notice, notifying the creditor that the claim will be barred unless the creditor presents the claims within two months from the mailing or other delivery of the notice. A claim not presented or filed on or before that date, or any extension provided by law, is unenforceable thereafter. Claim forms may be obtained from the Register of Wills.

Name of newspaper designated by personal representative: *The Republican*.

Date of Publication: August 24, 2006.

Carl W. Gosnell Jr.  
Personal Representative  
Joseph DiSimone  
Register of Wills  
for Garrett County  
Room 103 Courthouse  
313 E. Alder Street  
Oakland, MD 21550

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## PUBLIC NOTICES

**FOR SALE**  
**RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY**  
The Mayor and Town Council of Grantsville will receive sealed bids at the Town Hall, 171 Hill Street, Grantsville, MD 21536, or by mail addressed to the Town Hall, P.O. Box 296, Grantsville, MD 21536, until 4:00 p.m. on Friday, September 15, 2006, for the purchase of property listed below. Bids must be submitted in a sealed envelope addressed to the Mayor and Town Council, and plainly marked "Sealed Bid for Residential Property." The bids will be publicly opened and read at 7:00 p.m. on Monday, September 18, 2006.

There is a minimum bid of \$27,500.00. The property is zoned "Town Residential." The property is located in Parkside Estates (behind the Town Park beside the Ruth Enlow Library). The lot number coincides with the PLAT CASE DKM 1 FILE 304.

\* Lot 11 - 10,256 sq. ft.  
Copies of the plat can be picked up at the Town Hall between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Arrangements to view the property can be made by contacting the Town of Grantsville at 301-895-3144.

The Mayor and Town Council reserve the right to reject any and all bids and to accept that bid which it considers to be in its best interest.

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## IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR GARRETT COUNTY, MARYLAND

No.: C 06 9600 CIVIL  
Craig Ingram, Assignee for the Purpose of Foreclosure  
322 East Alder Street  
Oakland, Maryland 21550  
Plaintiff

VS.  
Andrew B. Young  
4600 Truman Lane  
Virginia Beach, VA 23455  
and  
Janine M. Young Czamecki  
43011 Golf View Drive  
Chantilly, VA 20152  
and  
Edward T. Tennant  
2305 Spruce Grove Ct.  
Raleigh, NC 27614  
Defendants

## NOTICE

It is Ordered this 1st day of September 2006, by the Circuit Court for Garrett County, Maryland, in Equity, that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings as made and reported by Craig Ingram, Assignee, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 2nd day of October 2006, provided that a copy of this Order be inserted in some newspaper published in Garrett County, Maryland, once in each of three successive weeks before the 22nd day of September 2006.

The report stated the amount of sale to be \$22,500.  
David K. Martin, Clerk

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## SMALL ESTATE NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT NOTICE TO CREDITORS NOTICE TO UNKNOWN HEIRS

Estate No. 10542  
TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF:

**STEVEN J. STAFFORD JR.**  
Notice is given that Alicia A. Stafford, 2332 Finzel Road, Frostburg, MD 21532, was on August 31, 2006, appointed personal representative of the small estate of Steven J. Stafford Jr., who died on July 24, 2006, without a will.

Further information can be obtained by reviewing the estate file in the office of the Register of Wills or by contacting the personal representative or the attorney.

All persons having any objection to the appointment shall file their objections with the Register of Wills within 30 days after the date of publication of this notice. All persons having an objection to the probate of the will shall file their objections with the Register of Wills within six months after the date of publication of this notice.

All persons having claims against the decedent must serve their claims on the undersigned personal representative or file them with the Register of Wills within 30 days after the date of publication of this notice.

(1) Six months from the date of the decedent's death, except if the decedent died before October 1, 1992, nine months from the date of the decedent's death; or

(2) Thirty days after the personal representative mails or otherwise delivers to the creditor a copy of this published notice or other written notice, notifying the creditor that the claims will be barred unless the creditor presents the claim within thirty days

from the mailing of the notice. Any claim not served or filed within that time, or any extension provided by law, is unenforceable thereafter.

Name of newspaper designated by personal representative:

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## PUBLIC NOTICES

ive; *The Republican*.  
Date of Publication: September 7, 2006.

Alicia A. Stafford  
Personal Representative  
Joseph DiSimone  
Register of Wills  
for Garrett County  
Room 103 Courthouse  
313 E. Alder Street  
Oakland, MD 21550

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## SMALL ESTATE NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT NOTICE TO CREDITORS NOTICE TO UNKNOWN HEIRS

Estate No. 10544  
TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF:

**ROBERT DALE SMITH**  
Notice is given that Phyllis E. Smith, 13226 Savage River Rd., Swanton, MD 21561, was on September 5, 2006, appointed personal representative of the small estate of Robert Dale Smith, who died on August 20, 2006, without a will.

Further information can be obtained by reviewing the estate file in the office of the Register of Wills or by contacting the personal representative or the attorney.

All persons having any objection to the appointment shall file their objections with the Register of Wills within 30 days after the date of publication of this notice. All persons having an objection to the probate of the will shall file their objections with the Register of Wills within six months after the date of publication of this notice.

All persons having claims against the decedent must serve their claims on the undersigned personal representative or file them with the Register of Wills with a copy to the undersigned on or before the earlier of the following dates:

(1) Six months from the date of the decedent's death, except if the decedent died before October 1, 1992, nine months from the date of the decedent's death; or

(2) Thirty days after the personal representative mails or otherwise delivers to the creditor a copy of this published notice or other written notice, notifying the creditor that the claims will be barred unless the creditor presents the claim within thirty days from the mailing or other delivery of the notice. Any claim not served or filed within that time, or any extension provided by law, is unenforceable thereafter.

Name of newspaper designated by personal representative: *The Republican*.

Date of Publication: September 7, 2006.

Phyllis E. Smith  
Personal Representative  
Joseph DiSimone  
Register of Wills  
for Garrett County  
Room 103 Courthouse  
313 E. Alder Street  
Oakland, MD 21550

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## PUBLIC NOTICES

**INVITATION TO BID**  
**PRE-ENGINEERED MAINTENANCE BUILDING WITH CONNECTION CORRIDOR**

Garrett College will accept sealed bids for the design, fabrication, permitting and construction of a 125 foot by 50 foot pre-engineered steel maintenance building with connection corridor to be located at the College's McHenry Campus. Bid documents and specifications may be obtained from the offices of Ashby Engineering, LLC, 119 S. Third Street, Suite 4, Oakland, MD 21550. Inquiries may be made by calling 301-334-4199.

Sealed bids must be submitted to the Office of the Dean of Administration, Garrett College, 687 Mosser Road, McHenry, MD 21541, on or before Friday, September 29, 2006, at 2:00 p.m. All bidders are required to submit three (3) copies of their bid documents at the time of submission. All bids submitted should be clearly marked "Pre-Engineered Maintenance Building" on the outside of the envelope. Any bids received after the time due will not be considered for award and shall be retained as documents.

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Date of Publication: September 7, 2006.

Phyllis E. Smith  
Personal Representative  
Joseph DiSimone  
Register of Wills  
for Garrett County  
Room 103 Courthouse  
313 E. Alder Street  
Oakland, MD 21550

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## PUBLIC NOTICES

**NOTICE OF ABANDONED VESSEL**

Notice is hereby given that the following vessel has apparently been abandoned for over 180 days on the property of Deep Creek Marina, 1077 Deep Creek Drive, McHenry, MD 21541, and phone number 301-387-6977.

The vessel is described as: 14' Gamafisher boat, Maryland registration MD 7169 AJ. The hull number is MFG83095M80F and the vessel is white with a blue and red stripe. The boat has a 9.9 hp outboard engine on the boat. The registered owner is Timothy Hines. Application for title will be made in accordance with Section 8-722 of the Annotated Code of Maryland, Natural Resources Article if the vessel is not claimed and removed from the above property within 30 days of this notice.

Application for title will be made in accordance with Section 8-722 of the Annotated Code of Maryland, Natural Resources Article if the vessel is not claimed and removed from the above property within 30 days of this notice.

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**NOTICE OF ABANDONED VESSEL**  
Notice is hereby given that the following vessel has apparently been abandoned for over 180 days on the property of Deep Creek Marina, 1077 Deep Creek Drive, McHenry, MD 21541, and phone number 301-387-6977.

The vessel is described as: 17' Carvelle, Pennsylvania registration PA 5988 GG. The hull number is CVB43609M74K and the vessel is brown with a white stripe. The owner is John Magar, 576 Irwin Run Road, West Milford, PA 15122.

Application for title will be made in accordance with Section 8-722 of the Annotated Code of Maryland, Natural Resources Article if the vessel is not claimed and removed from the above property within 30 days of this notice.

9/31-9/28 (5)

## MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT

## WATER MANAGEMENT ADMINISTRATION

## NOTICE OF APPLICATION RECEIVED AND TENTATIVE DETERMINATION

Application for State Discharge Permit 02-DP-3401A:

Worcester County

On behalf of the CAMBR Company, Inc., George, Miles & Buhr, LLC, 120 Sparks Valley Road, Suite A, Sparks, Maryland 21152, requested modifications of the above permit issued for the Ocean Landing #1 Wastewater Facility. The modifications include: (1) to change the permittee name from O.C. Realty, LLC, to CAMBR Company, Inc.; (2) to revise the effluent quality limitations to those required for reclaimed water: BOD<sub>5</sub> <10 mg/l, total suspended solid <10 mg/l and fecal coliforms <3 MPN/100 ml; and (3) to revise the buffer zone limitations to those required for reuse of reclaimed water.

The Department proposes to issue Modification A which includes the above changes.

An informational meeting on the application and/or a public hearing on the above tentative determination will be scheduled if a written request is received by September 21, 2006. The request should be sent to the Maryland Department of the Environment, Water Management Administration, 1800 Washington Blvd., Baltimore, Maryland 21230-1708, Attn.: Dr. Ching-Tzone Tien, and must include the name, address, and telephone number (home and work) of the person making the request, the name of any other party whom the person making the request may represent, and the name of the facility and permit number. Failure to request a meeting or hearing by September 21, 2006, will constitute a waiver of the right to an informational meeting or public hearing on the tentative determination.

Written comments concerning this tentative determination will be considered in the preparation of a final determination if submitted to the Department, to the attention of Dr. Ching-Tzone Tien, Chief, Ground Water Discharge Permits Division, at the above address, on or before October 2, 2006. Any hearing-impaired person who requests an informational meeting or public hearing may also request an interpreter by contacting Dr. Tien at 410-537-3662 or 800-633-6101; or by written request to the above address at least ten working days prior to the scheduled meeting or hearing date.

Information supporting the tentative determination, including the application, fact sheet, and draft permit, may be reviewed by contacting Dr. Tien by telephone to make an appointment or by written request to the above address. Copies of documents may be obtained at a cost of \$0.36 per page.

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## PUBLIC NOTICES

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## NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Garrett County Board of Education requested bids for an auctioneer to auction off surplus and outdated equipment. The auctioneer shall be responsible for handling all paperwork associated with the auction. Two (2) Board of Education employees shall be provided to assist in moving the loading items after sold. Interested persons should call the Garrett County Board of Education at 301-334-8906 for more information.

All bids must be submitted to the Garrett County Board of Education office by 2:00 p.m., Sept. 15, 2006, to the attention of Mr. James Thomas, Director of Facilities, Maintenance, and Operations.

By Authority of  
Garrett County Board of Education  
Dr. Wendell Teets,  
Superintendent of Schools

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## REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

## ARCHITECTURAL/ENGINEERING SERVICES

## GARRETT COUNTY DETENTION CENTER

The Board of County Commissioners of Garrett County, Maryland, will accept sealed proposals from qualified firms for architectural/engineering (A/E) services to design and prepare contract plans and specifications for the construction of the Garrett County Detention Center. The A/E services required are from the preliminary design phase through the construction phase of the project. The project will consist of the design and construction of a 90-bed detention center on County owned property according to the latest design standards.

A Pre-Proposal Conference will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, September 13, 2006, in the Commissioners' Public Meeting Room located at 203 South Fourth Street, Room 209, in Oakland, Maryland.

Proposal documents may be obtained in person from the Garrett County Purchasing Department, 316 East Alder Street, Oakland, Maryland 21550. A copy of the proposal documents can also be downloaded from the Purchasing Department's web site at [www.garrettcourt.org/Purchasing/CurrentBids.aspx](http://www.garrettcourt.org/Purchasing/CurrentBids.aspx). Inquiries may be made by calling 301-334-5003.

Sealed proposals must be submitted to the Garrett County Purchasing Department, 316 East Alder Street, Oakland, Maryland 21550, on or before Tuesday, October 3, 2006, at 2:00 p.m. (local time). An original and five copies of the proposal should be submitted enclosed in a sealed envelope and should be clearly marked "Request for Proposals A/E Services-Garrett County Detention Center" on the outside of the envelope. Any proposals received after the time due will not be considered and shall be retained as documentation for the proposal file.

The Board of County Commissioners of Garrett County, Maryland, reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, to cancel this request and to waive technicalities in any part thereof deemed to be in the best interest of Garrett County.

By Order of the Board  
Brian E. Bowers, CPPB  
Purchasing Agent  
Garrett County Purchasing Department

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## MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT

## WATER MANAGEMENT ADMINISTRATION

## NOTICE OF TENTATIVE DETERMINATION

Garrett County

Application for State Discharge Permit 06-DP-3556,

NPDES Permit MD0069728:

Garrett County Department of Public Utilities, 2008 Maryland Highway (MD Route 135), Suite #2, Mountain Lake Park, Maryland 21550-6349, has applied for a new permit to discharge treated wastewater to be generated during the micro-filtration units' backwash cycles (using non-chlorinated water) from the Mountain Lake Park Water Treatment Plant, located at the end of Landons Dam Road, Mountain Lake Park, Garrett County, Maryland 21550, into an unnamed tributary of the Little Youghiogheny River that is designated as Use III-P waters - protected for growth and propagation of trout and for public water supply.

A tentative determination has been made to issue the permit with the following effluent limitations: Total Suspended Solids, 30 mg/l daily maximum and 20 mg/l quarterly average; and pH, not less than 6.5 or greater than 8.5. In addition, the use of chlorine or chlorine-containing compounds is prohibited in the treatment of wastewater. Regular effluent monitoring and reporting are required.

A public hearing on the tentative determination will be scheduled if a written request is received by September 21, 2006. The request should be sent to the Maryland Department of the Environment, Water Management Administration, 1800 Washington Blvd., Baltimore, Maryland 21230-1708, Attn.: Mr. Stephen Luckman, Chief, Municipal Discharge Permits Division, and must include the name, address and telephone number (home and work) of the person making the request, the name of any other party whom the person making the request may represent, and the name of the facility and permit number. Failure to request a hearing by September 21, 2006, will constitute a waiver of the right to a public hearing on the tentative determination.

Written comments concerning the tentative determination will be considered in the preparation of a final determination if submitted to the Department, to the attention of Mr. Luckman at the above address, on or before October 2, 2006. Any hearing-impaired person who requests an informational meeting or public hearing may also request an interpreter at the hearing by contacting Mr. Luckman at 410-537-3671 or 800-633-6101 by written request to the above address at least ten working days prior to the scheduled hearing date.

Information supporting the tentative determination, including the draft permit and fact sheet, may be reviewed by contacting Mr. Luckman at the above telephone number to make an appointment or by written request to Mr. Luckman at the above address. Copies of documents may be obtained at a cost of \$0.36 per page.

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## PUBLIC NOTICES

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF APPOINTMENT OF FOREIGN PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE**

Estate No. 10536  
NOTICE IS GIVEN that the Probate Court of Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, appointed Thomas F. Toscani, 1205 Westlakes Drive, Suite 195, Berwyn, PA 19312, as the Administrator of the Estate of John S. Parker, who died on February 23, 2005, domiciled in Pennsylvania, U.S.A.

The Maryland resident agent for service of process is Thomas E. Bernag, whose address is 667 S. Third Street, Oakland, MD 21550.

At the time of death, the decedent owned real or leasehold property in the following Maryland counties: Garrett.

All persons having claims against the decedent must file their claims with the Register of Wills for Garrett County with a copy to the foreign personal representative on or before the earlier of the following dates:

(1) Six months from the date of the decedent's death, except if the decedent died before October 1, 1992, nine months from the date of the decedent's death; or

(2) Two months after the foreign personal representative mails or delivers to the creditor a copy of this published notice or other written notice, notifying the creditor that the claim will be barred unless the creditor presents the claim within two months from the mailing or other delivery of the notice. Claims filed after that date or after the date extended by law will be barred.

Name of newspaper designated by personal representative: *The Republican*.

Date of publication: September 7, 2006.

Thomas F. Toscani  
Foreign Personal Representative  
Joseph DiSimone  
Register of Wills  
Room 103 Courthouse  
313 E. Alder Street  
Oakland, MD 21550

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## PUBLIC NOTICES

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR GARRETT COUNTY**  
Civil No.: 11-C-06-9608

**IN THE MATTER OF**  
Donald Martin Stevens Jr.  
**FOR CHANGE OF NAME TO**  
Clarence William Pifer Jr.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION (Adult)**

The above Petitioner has filed a Petition to Change Name in which he seeks to change his name from Donald Martin Stevens Jr. to Clarence William Pifer Jr.

David K. Martin, Clerk

9/7

Bierman, Geesing & Ward, LLC

4520 East West Highway, Suite 200

Bethesda, MD 20814

301-961-6555

## SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEES' SALE

## OF IMPROVED REAL PROPERTY

126 Callicot Rd.

Oakland, MD 21550

Under a power of sale contained in a certain Deed of Trust dated September 16, 2005, and recorded in Liber 1157, Folio 497, among the Land Records of Garrett Co., MD, with an original principal balance of \$156,600.00 and an original interest rate of 7.99%, default having occurred under the terms thereof, the Sub. Trustees will sell at public auction at the Circuit Court for Garrett Co., at the Court House Door, Oakland, on

September 13, 2006, at 2:00 p.m.

ALL THAT fee-simple LOT OF GROUND, together with the buildings and improvements thereon situated in Garrett Co., MD, and more fully described in the aforesaid Deed of Trust.

The property, which is improved by a dwelling, will be sold in an "as is" condition and subject to conditions, restrictions and agreements of record affecting the same, if any, and with no warranty of any kind.

Terms of Sale: A deposit of \$17,000 in the form of cash or readily available funds acceptable to the Trustees required at the time of sale. Balance of the purchase price, together with interest on the unpaid purchase money at the current rate contained in the Deed of Trust Note from the date of sale to the date funds are received by the Trustees, payable in cash within ten days of final ratification of the sale by the Circuit Court. TIME IS OF THE ESSENCE FOR THE PURCHASER.

Adjustment of current year real property taxes will be made as of the date of sale and thereafter assumed by the purchaser. All other public charges or assessments, including water/sewer charges, ground rent, condo/HOA dues, whether incurred prior to or after the sale, and all other costs incident to settlement to be paid by the purchaser. All transfer taxes and settlement expenses shall be paid by the Purchaser. Purchaser is responsible for obtaining physical possession of the property, and assumes risk of loss or damage to the property from the date of sale. If ratification or settlement is delayed for any reason there shall be no abatement of interest. The sale is subject to post-sale audit of the status of the loan with the loan servicer including, but not limited to, determination of whether the borrower entered into any repayment agreement, reinstated or paid off the loan prior to the sale. In any such event, this sale shall be null and void, and the Purchaser's sole remedy, in law or equity, shall be the return of the deposit without interest. If Purchaser fails to settle within ten days of ratification, he agrees to pay, attorneys' fees in the amount of \$750.00, plus costs, if the Trustees have moved to resell the property. Purchaser waives personal service of any paper filed in connection with such a motion of himself and/or any principal or corporate designee, and expressly agrees to accept service of any such paper by regular mail directed to the address provided by said bidder at the time of the sale. If Purchaser defaults under these terms, deposit shall be forfeited. The Trustees may then resell the property at the risk and cost of the defaulting purchaser. The defaulted purchaser shall not be entitled to any surplus proceeds resulting from said resale even if such surplus results from improvements to the property by said defaulted purchaser. If Trustees are unable to convey either insurable or marketable title, or if the sale is not ratified by the Circuit Court for any reason, the Purchaser's sole remedy, at law or equity, is the return of the deposit without interest. Purchaser agrees to pay \$295.00 at settlement to the Seller's attorney for review of the settlement documents.

Howard N. Bierman, Jacob Geesing, Carrie M. Ward, Ralph J. DiPietro, Michael Scott Cohen, James C. Ebery Jr., Substitute Trustees

9/24-9/7

## NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR STRIP MINE PERMIT

G&S COAL COMPANY INC.,

21557 Maryland Highway, Bloomington, Maryland 21523, has

submitted an application to the Maryland Bureau of Mines for

a surface coal mine operations permit. The operation is to be

located near Swanton, Maryland. The proposed operation

occupies a 10-acre tract on the south side of Maryland Route

135, 4.0 miles northeast of Swanton, Election District 4,

Garrett County; 592,500 N/185,000 F. Access to the site is

from Maryland Route 135, 1.0 mile southwest of the intersection

with Chestnut Grove Road.

Surface of the area to be mined is owned by: Gloria Bair-

nard, 15990 Maryland Highway, Swanton, Maryland 21561,

and the mineral is owned by Winner Brothers Coal Company

Inc., 19430 Lower Consol Road, Frostburg, Maryland 21532.

The permit area is located within the U.S. Geologic Survey

Kitzmillier, MD, 7.5 minute quadrangle, the boundaries being

as shown on the attached sketch.



## PUBLIC NOTICES PUBLIC NOTICES PUBLIC NOTICES PUBLIC NOTICES

INVITATION TO BID  
Contractual Snow  
Removal Services

The Board of Trustees of the Ruth Enlow Library of Garrett County will accept sealed bids for snow removal services for the Ruth Enlow Library in Oakland at 6 North Second St., Oakland, Maryland, and for the Grantsville Library, 102 Parkside Dr., Grantsville, Maryland.

Bid documents and specifications may be obtained in person at the Oakland Library and Grantsville Library at the above addresses. Inquiries may be made by calling George Dawson, Administrative Assistant, 301-334-3996, ext. 106.

Sealed bids must be submitted to George Dawson, Ruth Enlow Library of Garrett County, 6 N. Second St., Oakland, MD 21550 on or before 1:00 p.m. on Sept. 21, 2006. Sealed bids will be publicly read aloud in the Oakland Library at 4:10 p.m. on Sept. 21, 2006. All bidders are required to submit two (2) copies of their bid documents at the time of submission.

All bids submitted should be enclosed in a sealed envelope and should be clearly marked "Contractual snow removal services bid" on the outside of the envelope. All bids received after the bid deadline will not be considered for award and shall be retained as documentation for the bid file.

The Board of Trustees of the Ruth Enlow Library reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids or to cancel this bid invitation and to waive technicalities in any part deemed to be in the best interest of the citizens of Garrett County and the Board of Trustees of the Ruth Enlow Library.

By Order of the Board  
Cathy Ashby  
Director of the Ruth Enlow  
Library of Garrett County

## NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

Getty Law Offices  
23 Washington Street  
Cumberland, Maryland 21502

NOTICE OF INTENTION  
OF THE BOARD OF  
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

OF GARRETT COUNTY, MARYLAND, FOR THE CLOSING OF A PORTION OF OLD STATE PARK ROAD LOCATED IN ELECTION DISTRICT NO. 18, GARRETT COUNTY, MARYLAND.

Pursuant to the provisions of Article 25, § 135, et seq., of the Annotated Code of Maryland, notice is hereby given that the Board of County Commissioners of Garrett County, Maryland, will petition, on its own behalf, on the 10th day of October 2006, at 10:00 a.m., to close a portion of old State Park Road, more particularly described as that portion of old State Park Road lying adjacent to the property of Ruth E. Bortz and Nelson M. Bortz Jr., and the property of James W. Carroll Jr. The area which the county seeks to close comprises a portion of State Park Road which has been abandoned by the county upon relocation of State Park Road at that location. A further description of the said road and its location may be had by reference to a drawing, which can be seen and examined by any interested party during the regular business hours at the Office of the Board of County Commissioners of Garrett County, Maryland.

The purpose of the Petitioner's Petition is to have the portion of old State Park Road closed as a public road in Garrett County, Maryland, by the Board of County Commissioners of Garrett County.

Gorman E. Getty III  
County Attorney  
23 Washington Street  
Cumberland, Maryland 21502  
301-777-8032

By Order of the Board  
Cathy Ashby  
Director of the Ruth Enlow  
Library of Garrett County

## PUBLIC NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE that the Mayor and Town Council of Friendsville will hold a public hearing on Ordinance No. 2006-1, which will be introduced before the Town Council on September 5, 2006, which Ordinance authorizes the Mayor and Town Council of Friendsville to sell by private sale, and to deliver a usual warranty deed, certain land within the Town of Friendsville and which the Town has determined is no longer needed for any public purpose, said property being located at 946 Second Avenue, Friendsville, Maryland, for consideration in the amount of \$125,000.00.

A fair summary of the Ordinance is as follows:  
The Ordinance declares the said property located at 946 Second Avenue, Friendsville, Maryland, to be no longer needed for any public purpose and authorizes the Mayor and Town Council to sell said property by private sale, to a buyer, located by Coldwell Banker Realty, for the price of \$125,000.00, which is in excess of appraised value of said property as established by Deep Creek Appraisal Associates, Inc., and to grant to the buyer, Chad Fike, a special warranty deed conveying said property to him in fee simple, and further providing for the payment of costs of closing. The sale is in conformance with the provisions of Article 24, Section 2 (24) of the Annotated Code of Maryland and provides that this Notice shall be advertised in three successive issues of *The Republican* newspaper, and that the first reading thereon shall be on the 5th day of September, 2006, and that the second reading thereon shall be on the 19th day of September, 2006, and the official public hearing and vote on adoption shall be on the 2nd day of October, 2006, to be held at the Friendsville Town Hall at 313 Chestnut Street, Friendsville, Maryland 21531.

The full text of Ordinance 2006-1 is available at the Friendsville Town Hall located at 313 Chestnut Street, Friendsville, Maryland, Monday through Friday, during normal business hours.

This Notice is in accordance with the policy adopted by the Mayor and Town Council of Friendsville for the adoption of ordinances and gives notice of the date and time of the scheduled public hearing of said Ordinance.

By Authority of the Mayor and Town Council of Friendsville, Maryland  
By its Town Attorney, Robert E. Watson

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Wittstadt & Wittstadt, P.A., Attorneys  
40 S. Dundalk Ave., Baltimore, MD 21222  
410-282-2112

SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEES' SALE  
OF IMPROVED REAL PROPERTY

35 Zehner Rd., Grantsville, MD 21536

Under a power of sale contained in a certain Deed of Trust from Debra M. Boler-Butler a/k/a Deborah Butler Boler a/k/a Deborah Minnick, dated March 18, 2003, and recorded in Liber 962, folio 772 among the Land Records of Garrett Co., MD, default having occurred under the terms thereof, the Sub. Trustees will sell at public auction at the Circuit Court for Garrett Co., at the Court House Door, Oakland, on September 22, 2006 at 1:00 p.m.

ALL THAT fee-simple LOT OF GROUND AND THE IMPROVEMENTS THEREON situated in Garrett Co., MD, and more fully described in the aforesaid Deed of Trust. The property is improved by a dwelling.

The property will be sold in an "as is" condition and subject to conditions, restrictions and agreements of record affecting the same, if any, and with no warranty of any kind.

Terms of Sale: A deposit of \$7,000 by cash, or certified check. Balance of the purchase price to be paid in cash within ten days of final ratification of sale by the Circuit Court for Garrett Co. If Purchaser fails to settle within ten days of ratification, he agrees to pay attorneys' fees in the amount of \$750.00, plus costs, if the Trustees have moved to resell the property. Interest to be paid on the unpaid purchase money at the rate of 10.625% per annum from the date of sale to the date funds are received in the office of the Sub. Trustees. If the purchaser fails to go to settlement, the deposit shall be forfeited and the property may be resold at the purchaser's risk and expense. In the event settlement is delayed for any reason, there shall be no abatement of interest. Taxes, ground rent, water rent, condominium fees and/or homeowner association dues, all public charges/assessments payable on an annual basis, including sanitary and/or metropolitan district charges, if applicable, to be adjusted for the current year to date of sale and assumed thereafter by the purchaser. Cost of all documentary stamps, transfer taxes and settlement expenses shall be borne by the purchaser. Purchaser shall be responsible for obtaining physical possession of the property. Purchaser assumes the risk of loss or damage to the property from the date of sale forward. If the Sub. Trustees are unable to convey good and marketable title, the purchaser's sole remedy in law and equity shall be limited to a refund of the deposit. Purchaser agrees to pay \$250.00 at settlement, to the Seller's attorney, for review of the settlement documents.

Mark H. Wittstadt, Gerard Wm. Wittstadt Jr.  
Sub. Trustees

ALEX COOPER AUCTIONS, INC.  
908 YORK RD., TOWSON, MD 21204  
410-828-4838

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR  
STRIP MINE PERMIT RENEWAL  
THIS IS THE LAST ADVERTISEMENT

Notice is hereby given that Mettiki Coal, 293 Table Rock Road, Oakland, MD, in compliance with Maryland's Federally approved Surface Coal Mine Regulatory Program, has submitted an application for renewal of surface coal mine Permit No. SM 97-428. This application is for renewal of an existing permit only. The application does not add any area to the existing permit. The operation is located near Table Rock, Maryland, on the North side of Laurel Run, in Election District No. 8, Garrett County, MD, Grid Coordinates S. 21,742,5713, E. 101,080,0680. Access to the site is from Red Oak Road, 3 miles southwest of intersection of Table Rock Road and Route 50.

Surface of the permit area is owned by Glenn Shockley, 203 Yoakum Parkway #1618, Alexandria, VA 22304; Freda Ujic, Route 2, Box 580, Ridgeley, WV 26753; James W. Ujic, Route 2, Box 526, Ridgeley, WV 26753; Buffalo Coal Corporation, P.O. Box 262, Bayard, WV 26753; Mettiki Coal, LLC, 293 Table Rock Road, Oakland, MD 21550, and the mineral is owned by Western Pocahontas Limited Partnership, 1035 3rd Avenue, P.O. Box 2827, Huntington, WV 25727-2827.

The permit area is within the U.S. Geologic Survey Table Rock 7.5 minute quadrangle. See the attached vicinity map. Questions concerning this application may be directed to the Maryland Bureau of Mines, Permitting Section 301-689-6104.

A copy of the application is available for public review at the Bureau of Mines, 160 South Water Street, Frostburg, MD, during normal office hours. Written comments on this application and requests for a public hearing will be received until Oct. 27, 2006, by the Maryland Bureau of Mines, Permitting Section, 160 South Water Street, Frostburg, Maryland 21532. Attention: Permit No. SM 97-428 OPA 06-62  
9/7-28 (4)

## INVITATION FOR BIDS

Separate and sealed Bids will be received by the Garrett County Community Action Committee, Inc., 104 East Center Street, Oakland, MD 21550, until 4:00 p.m. (EST) prevailing time on Tuesday, October 3, 2006, for the following Contract: CONTRACT 2006-GEN-01:

## PRITTS BUILDING DEMOLITION

Work consists of, but not limited to, the demolition of two (2) story masonry frame building and paved parking lot, including the abatement of hazardous materials consisting of asbestos and PCB's at 112 Liberty Street in the Town of Oakland, Garrett County, Maryland. Work also entails the backfill and stabilization of the site upon removal of the building.

Contract Documents, including Drawings and Technical Specifications, may be reviewed by interested Bidders at the office of The EADS Group, Inc. (Telephone: 814-445-6551), 450 Aberdeen Drive, Somerset, PA 15501, or at the office of the Garrett County Community Action Committee, Inc., 104 East Center Street, Oakland, MD 21550. Copies of the Contract Documents may be obtained by a NON-REFUNDABLE deposit of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00), which price includes 6% Pennsylvania Sales Tax, with all checks made payable to The EADS Group, Inc., 450 Aberdeen Drive, Somerset, PA 15501, for each set of documents so obtained. Addenda, if any, will be issued to only those persons whose names and addresses are on record with the Engineer as having obtained the Contract Documents.

Bid Bond in an amount equal to 10% of the Total Bid shall be submitted with each Bid. A certified check, payable to the Garrett County Community Action Committee, Inc., will be acceptable.

A pre-bid meeting has been scheduled on Tuesday, September 19, 2006, at 1:00 p.m. at the project site. Prospective Bidders are encouraged to attend to examine the extent of the work and take into account the conditions affecting the prosecution of the work and operational requirements.

This project is funded in part by Federal funds through the Community Development Block Grant Program and the United States Department of Agriculture. Attention is called to the fact that not less than the minimum salaries and wages as set forth in the Davis-Bacon Act, and as described within the Contract Documents, must be paid on this project; that the Contractor must ensure that employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of their race, age, color, religion, sex, national origin, or handicap; that a mandatory ratio of apprentices and trainees to journeymen is required in each craft and the Contractor (and any Subcontractors) is obliged to make a "diligent effort" to achieve these ratios; and that to the greatest extent feasible, opportunities for training and employment be given lower income persons of the project area and must to the greatest extent possible utilize project area businesses located in or owned in substantial part by project area residents.

In addition to the Equal Employment requirements of Executive Order 11246, the Contractor must also establish a 6.9% goal for female participation and a 6.3% goal for minority participation in his/her aggregate on-site construction workforce. The Bidder/Officer must submit documentary evidence of Section 3 business concerns who have been contacted and to whom commitments have been made. Documentation of such solicitations and commitments shall be submitted concurrently with the Bid.

All Bidders are hereby notified that minority/women businesses will be afforded full opportunity to submit Bids in response to this notice and will not be subjected to discrimination on the basis of race, color, sex or national origin in consideration for an award. The Contract sets forth a 5% goal for minority business participation and 3% goal for women business participation and specific requirements for meeting that goal in the procurement of subcontractors, material suppliers or services by the Contractor in accordance with Executive Order 11625 and 12138.

Bids shall be submitted on forms prescribed and Bids may be held for a period not to exceed sixty (60) days from the date of bid opening for the purpose of reviewing the Bids and investigating the qualifications of Bidders, prior to awarding the Contract. No Bidder may withdraw his/her Bid after the hour set for opening thereof, or before award of Contract, unless said award is delayed for a period of more than sixty (60) days.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all Bids, or to waive any informalities in the bidding.

The successful Bidder will be required to furnish satisfactory Performance Bond and a Labor and Materialmen's Bond before awarding the Contract.

The successful Bidder will be required to fully complete all work within sixty (60) consecutive calendar days from, and including, the date indicated by the Garrett County Community Action Committee Inc., in their written Notice to Proceed.

GARRETT COUNTY COMMUNITY ACTION COMMITTEE, INC.  
Duane Yoder, President

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## CLASSIFIED ADS

Reaching Over 35,000  
Readers In  
Garrett County & Vicinity!

Deadline:  
Tuesday, 5 PM  
Phone: 301-334-3963

## EMPLOYMENT

HELP WANTED - Avon!  
Earn 50% fast cash and free gift. \$10 to start. Call Karen, 301-334-2454, 28-4.

HELP WANTED - Math teacher. The MD Salem Children's Trust in northeastern Garrett Co., Md., is seeking a teacher for our full-day special education math class. Must have a BS or BA degree in education with passing scores on math praxis-tests grades 6-adult. Should also have 1 yr. exp. working

with children. Benefits include health ins., sick leave, personal days and holidays as per the school calendar. Must be at least 21, have a valid driver's license with a good driving record, pass a criminal background & Child Protective Service check & pass a pre-employment physical/TB test. If qualified & interested, contact Tom Ruckert @ 301-689-8176, ext. 213, 27-4.

## EMPLOYMENT

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Help Wanted  
FLORAL  
DESIGNER

Full- or part-time  
Apply in person:  
Green Acres  
Flower Basket  
12619 Garrett Hwy.  
Oakland, Md.

HELP WANTED - House-keeper. Must pay attention to detail. 301-895-5592, 27-2.

GAS PUMP  
ATTENDANT  
needed at  
Oakland Exxon  
Call Pat  
301-334-2678

28-11

Secretarial Position  
available with local company

Looking for person with bookkeeping experience. Computer skills required. Knowledge of QuickBooks helpful.

Please call between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.  
to schedule an interview.  
301-334-2450

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Successful, growing manufacturing  
company needs full-time, hands-on  
PROACTIVE BUYER

Must assure timely arrival of materials to meet production schedules, identify and solve problem supply constraints, maintain planning and purchasing parameters such as lead time, terms, quotes and confirmations and work to reduce inventory and maximize working capital. Competitive salary, health insurance, 401k, paid vacation and holidays. EEO/Drug Free workplace. Send resume to:  
Boxholder, P.O. Box 477  
Oakland, MD 21550

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## WELDERS NEEDED

\$1,000 Sign-On Bonus

Apply in person at:  
GMS Mine Repair  
& Maintenance  
170 Leon White Rd., Mtn. Lake Park  
or call Scott Smith 301-334-8186

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## NAIL TECH

Needed For Expanding  
Tanning Salon

Existing tanning salon "Island Sun" in Mtn. Lake Park soon to be under new management is looking for an experienced nail tech. The ability to apply acrylic nails is a must. Offering a competitive salary and additional bonuses.

Please send resume to:  
Tanning  
P.O. Box 2065  
Mtn. Lake Park, MD 21550

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## Position Available

Full-time insurance career opportunity  
with local insurance agency is now available.

Good communication skills, both written and verbal, are necessary. Must have prior computer experience and a good customer service orientation. College is a plus. This is an in-office position, excellent working environment, with hours Monday through Friday. Benefits include health insurance, profit sharing retirement plan, and paid vacation.

If you are ready to start your new insurance career, please send resume to:  
Box B-27, c/o The Republican  
P.O. Box 326, Oakland, MD 21550

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## GMS Mine Repair &amp; Maintenance

has an immediate opening for a

## MACHINIST

at its shop in Oakland, Md.

Experience is preferred. Pay based on experience. Excellent benefits package.

Interested applicants should apply in person at:

170 Leon White Road

or mail applications to:

P.O. Box 2446

Mtn. Lake Park, MD 21550

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FREE  
WOOD  
SKIDS

when  
available

108 S. Second St.

Oakland

301-334-3963

The Republican

## MD DEPARTMENT OF JUVENILE SERVICES

12-Month Positions in Western Maryland for  
GUIDANCE COUNSELOR

New Competitive Salaries effective 7/1/2006

F/T permanent positions with full State benefits available at the Dept of Juvenile Services Backbone Mountain Youth Facility in Garrett County to provide classroom instruction in detention setting.

Must have MSDE certification or be eligible for conditional certification as a Guidance Counselor. Must have MSDE certification or be eligible for conditional certification. For add'l. info on Teacher recruitment and an employment application visit website [www.djs.state.md.us](http://www.djs.state.md.us) and click on Current Job Announcements.

Submit a fully completed MD State Employment Application and a copy of MSDE certificate to the Dept. of Juvenile Services, Office of Human Resources, Recruitment and Examination, One Center Plaza, 120 W. Fayette St., Baltimore, MD 21201. Resumes are not accepted in lieu of the application. To download a MD State Application go to the above website or [www.DJM.maryland.gov](http://www.DJM.maryland.gov) and click on State Jobs. For additional info call 410-230-3122. EOE

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In Garrett Co. & Vicinity!

# CLASSIFIED ADS.

Deadline: Tuesday, 5 PM  
Phone: 301-334-3963

## EMPLOYMENT

**HELP WANTED** - Continuing upon funding, the Appalachian Laboratory of the University of Maryland Center for Environmental Science has an opening for a Step I faculty research assistant to work in the field of freshwater benthic ecology. Qualifications include: experience in the identification of benthic macroinvertebrates, familiarity with the Maryland Biological Stream Survey, an ability to work in field sampling, knowledge of QA/QC and computer skills. A BS degree in the biological sciences, or a related field, is the minimal requirement for this position. Send a letter of application and a detailed resume to: Dr. R. P. Morgan II, University of Maryland Center for Environmental Science, Appalachian Laboratory, 301 Braddock Road, Frostburg, MD 21532. The closing date for this position is September 30, 2006. The University of Maryland System is an Equal Opportunity Employer. 28-2.

## EMPLOYMENT

**HELP WANTED** - The Dove Center, Garrett County's domestic violence and sexual assault resource center, is seeking candidates to fill a part-time crisis advocate position. Individual will be responsible for answering the hotline, as well as providing direct services to families. AA degree preferred. Position requires shift work, as well as holidays and some weekends. Interested parties are asked to send a resume to: Heather Hanline, Executive Director, Dove Center, 12978 Garrett Hwy., Suite 201, Oakland, MD 21550, no later than September 11, 2006.

**HELP WANTED** - Page, Organizer, shelves and retrieve books. 12 hours/week, including every Saturday at the Oakland library. \$6.20/hour. Applications available at the Ruth Enlow Library - deadline is Sept. 9. Contact Peggy Ream, 301-334-3966, ext. 114, for more info. 27-2.

**HELP WANTED** - Housekeepers for busy bed & breakfast at the lake. Guest room cleaning and help with breakfast prep and serving. Part-time morning hours, flexible schedule. Must be available most weekends. Great team atmosphere, good pay & great tips for energetic, dependable person. Carmel Cove Inn, 301-387-0067. 27-5.

**HELP WANTED** - Cleaning company now hiring personnel to work weekends and some weekdays. Must have dependable transportation and phone. Call & leave message at 301-616-4966. 27-5.

## EMPLOYMENT

**HELP WANTED** - Part-time receptionist needed for real estate office. Responsibilities include answering multi-line telephone system, greeting clients & miscellaneous office duties as needed. Must be available to work weekends. Send resumes to: 23789 Garrett Hwy., Suite 2, McHenry, MD 21541, Attn: HR Dept. 25-5.

**HELP WANTED** - Seeking qualified applicants for: 1) a Visual FoxPro programmer to learn/maintain existing custom program (currently VFP 8.0) in a team environment using Visual FoxPro, SQL Server and Crystal Reports; and 2) a .NET programmer for RAD of a web-based SQL application in a team environment. Experience required. Financial industry knowledge a plus. Benefit package includes: major medical, prescription services, vacation and holiday pay, and 401 (K) plan. For consideration, email your resume and salary requirements to jobs@fcsi.com or mail to Financial Computer Support Inc., Attn: Human Resources, 14 Commerce Drive, Oakland, MD 21550.

## EMPLOYMENT

**HELP WANTED** - Experienced equipment operator. Pay based on experience. Call Brian, 304-698-7105. 25-4.

**HELP WANTED** - Melanie's Family Restaurant seeking experienced cook. Flexible hours, full time. Pay based on ability. Apply in person or call for an appointment. 304-735-3219. 28-2.

**HELP WANTED** - Need extra money for Christmas? If so, Merkle Response is hiring! If you desire to be part of a growing company that rewards its employees for their contributions, we want you to be part of the Merkle team. We are looking for 2nd shift data entry clerks at our Grantsville facility, located in the Northern Garrett Industrial Park, just off Exit 19 in Grantsville. Successful data entry clerk candidates will have excellent alpha/numeric keyboarding skills. We offer benefits for full- and part-time employees and flexible work schedules. Resumes and applications may be submitted to: Merkle Response Services Inc., 92 Corporate Drive, Grantsville, MD 21536; 301-895-3748. EOE. 28-2.

## EMPLOYMENT

**HELP WANTED** - Jackson Hewitt Tax Service is seeking individuals willing to learn new skills and interested in Jan. employment. Flexible hours, competitive pay and incentives. 12- & 6-week income tax courses begin Sept. 11 & Oct. 23 in your area. Call 301-334-6570 or 1-800-832-0315 to enroll today. 25-4.

**HELP WANTED** - Meat wrapper. 301-334-4140. 26-4.

**HELP WANTED** - Busy carpet store in Deep Creek Lake, Md., area needs experienced carpet installers immediately. References required. 301-387-6976. 26-5.

**HELP WANTED** - Carpenter & carpenter's helper. Interior/exterior work. 240-321-7654. 28-2.

**HELP WANTED** - Custom cabinet and furniture shop seeks motivated individual to assist in the production and installation of custom casegoods and furniture. Knowledge of woodworking equipment and installation helpful. Must have own transportation. Contact Gregan Crawford at 301-334-1100 during normal business hours. 28-5.

## EMPLOYMENT

**HELP WANTED** - Help wanted for elderly couple in Deer Park from Fri., 5 p.m. to Sun., 5 p.m. Call 301-334-4505. 28-3.

**HELP WANTED** - Meat cutter, slaughter floor helper & meat wrapper. Call 301-746-5600. 28-2.

**HELP WANTED** - Tired of spending all your money commuting back and forth to work? Let the trucking industry pay your way. Obtain CDL training from Mountaintop Truck Driving Institute in Grantsville, Md. Beginning drivers can earn \$40,000 or more with benefits. Weekday & weekend courses available. Government grants, tuition reimbursement and student loans offered to qualifying individuals. Call toll free for details. 1-866-851-MTDI. 28-4.

**HELP WANTED** - Experienced carpenters & laborers for general residential construction. 301-387-0365. 28-5.

## EMPLOYMENT

**HELP WANTED** - Seeking all levels of experienced call center staff for work in McHenry. Some positions require Spanish speaking/interpretation. Fax resumes to 301-722-4487 or email hr@govconconsult.com. 28-2.

**HELP WANTED** - Admissions/training coordinator. The MD Salem Children's Trust in northeastern Garrett Co., Md., providing residential and special education services to children in need, is seeking an applicant to manage our referral and intake process and coordinate

## EMPLOYMENT

all needed training for the residential program. Must have a bachelor's degree. Social work preferred, other BA degrees considered. Computer experience essential, including data entry and analysis. Benefits include health ins., annual & sick leave, paid holidays. Must be at least 21, have a valid driver's license with a clean driving record, pass a criminal background & Child Protective Service check & pass a pre-employment physical/TB test. If qualified & interested, contact Tom Rucker @ 301-689-8176, ext. 213. 28-2.

## MISCELLANEOUS

**FOR SALE** - Lincoln Ranger 10,000 welder, 50 ft. welding lead, 6 hrs., \$3800. 304-379-2655. 28-5.

**FOR SALE** - Fireplace Country Flame insert, wood-burning, heats up to 3000 sq. ft., black w/brass trim. \$650. 301-387-4617 or 410-825-3163. 28-3.

**FOR SALE** - 8'x16' garage door, premium insulated steel door. Great shape, 3 yrs old \$1000 new. Will sell for \$400. 301-387-6563. 28-5.

**FOR SALE** - Red cedar shakes, still in boxes, 18 boxes, 96 pieces each box, 5'x18" in size. Also, 25 red cedar ridge caps. \$500. 410-848-0414. 28-4.

**FOR SALE** - New & used Andersen doors & windows. kitchen & bath furnishings. 240-321-7654. 28-2.

**MOVING SALE** - Twin cedar bed with new box springs & mattress, \$45. GE large capacity washer & dryer, like new, \$300. White plastic patio set: white table, 4 chairs & umbrella, \$35. Swing, 2 seats & canopy top, \$30. All in good cond. 301-334-4503. 28-2.

**FOR SALE** - Incredible sweet corn, \$2/dozen, \$10/bushel. 301-746-8850. 27-2.

**FOR SALE** - Custom-built storage buildings & playhouses. 301-895-3688. 27-5.

**FOR SALE** - 2 stoves. Woodstove: Sierra, side loading, holds 24-inch logs, can be used as insert or freestanding, \$450. Gas stove: Warm Morning, heat & blower controls, natural gas or propane, \$250. Buy both stoves for \$600. Don Stemple, 501 Palmer Lane, Oakland, Md. Daytime, 301-334-5927; after 4, 301-334-9094. 27-4.

**FOR SALE** - 2 lg. boilers or coal furnaces. Make offer. 301-334-1117. 26-4.

**FOR SALE** - Glow Boy home/shop pellet stove, 300 lb hopper. Bought new Nov. 05 \$1800 new, \$1200 or best offer. 301-334-1853. 26-3.

**FOR SALE** - 1997 307 Cat excavator, \$24,000. 13 ft. aluminum dump body with hoist, \$6500. 301-359-3517 or 301-697-5047. 26-4.

**FOR SALE** - Assorted carpet tools, including power stretcher. Call 301-334-2610. 25-4.

**FOR SALE** - Mattress specials: king pillowtop, reg. \$1600, our price \$745, queen set, \$495; full set, \$425; single set, \$345; regular mattresses cheaper. Also, bedroom & dining room furniture. Hummel's, 301-689-8160. 25-5.

**FOR SALE** - Nursery stock. Dug trees starting at \$8; blue spruce, Norway, white pine, fir, white spruce, Canaan Valley fir & hemlock. Call Jay Rice, 301-533-1919. 25-5.

**FOR SALE** - Stone. Dry stack, veneer landscaping, retaining wall, fireplace stones. 301-746-5781. 24-5.

**FOR SALE** - Hardwood lumber, kiln dried. Specialty woods & hard-to-find lumber. One board or truck load. Special woods for cabinet shops & hobbyists. Located 4 miles from Friendsville, Md. Call 304-379-3596 or 304-692-3602. 24-5.

**FOR SALE** - 6 kitchen dinette chairs, white metal wall-mount medicine cabinet with mirror, 2 bathroom vanities with ceramic tops: 22"x49"x30" high, blue & white swirl top, dark wood, single bowl, and 19"x31"x30" high, tan & white swirl top, light wood, single bowl. Metal TV stand. All items reasonably priced. 304-789-2735. 17-tfn.

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## HELP WANTED

• **Carpenters**  
• **Carpenter's Helpers**  
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## Help Wanted

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## VACATION PLANNER

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**McHenry, MD 21541**

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## Help Wanted

**Community Living Aide/CNA** needed for a program serving the developmentally disabled in the Oakland area. Must be CNA certified or willing to obtain certification. 40 hours/week. Includes evening, weekend, and some split shifts. If CNA certified: \$7.04 per hour plus 35¢ shift differential plus 25¢ CNA add-on = \$7.64 per hour. If not CNA certified: \$7.04 base pay per hour plus a 35¢-per-hour shift differential = \$7.39 per hour. Full fringe benefits are available and include health and medical coverage. High school diploma or GED required; experience with developmentally disabled population preferred; lifting required; and must possess a valid driver's license with a good driving record. Deadline for an application or resume is Monday, September 11, 2006.

Contact or send resume to:

**Appalachian Parent Association, Inc.**  
Appalachian Crossroads  
39 South Third Street, Oakland, MD 21550  
301-334-8449, ext. 100 • 301-334-9633 (fax)  
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## Help Wanted

Part-Time Aide needed for an alternative living unit for the developmentally disabled in the Oakland area. Must be CNA certified or willing to obtain certification. 20 hours/week, Saturday and Sunday. 10 hours each day. If CNA certified: \$7.04 per hour plus 35¢ shift differential plus 25¢ CNA add-on = \$7.64 per hour. If not CNA certified, salary would be \$7.04 base pay per hour plus a 35¢-per-hour shift differential = \$7.39 per hour. Prorated leave benefits available. High school diploma required; must be able to lift; experience with developmentally disabled population preferred; and must possess a valid driver's license with a good driving record. Deadline for an application or resume is Monday, September 18, 2006.

Contact or send resume to

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## ADVENTURE SPORTS CENTER, INC. (ASCI)

### Business Manager

The Adventure Sports Center, Inc. (ASCI) is searching for a dynamic, organized, and motivated individual to serve as its Business Manager.

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This is a full-time position with benefits. Salary is commensurate to experience.

To express interest, send cover letter and resume by September 22, 2006, 4:00 pm to:

**ASCI Business Manager Search**  
**Adventure Sports Center, Inc.**  
**685 Mosser Road, Suite 7**  
**McHenry, MD. 21541**

## Help Wanted

• **CARPENTER**  
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This is a safety sensitive position; therefore successful applicants will be required to pass a pre-employment drug test and be subject to random drug testing while employed. Also a copy of a current driving record will be required.

Applications will be accepted through Friday, September 15, 2006, at 4:30 p.m. at the Human Resources Office, Garrett County Community Action Committee, Inc., 104 E. Center St., Oakland, MD 21550. Call 301-334-9431, or 888-877-8403.

Garrett County Community Action is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

## Welders

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**PCM Industrial Services, Inc.**, an equal opportunity employer, is currently accepting applications for the above positions. Work consists of construction and industrial maintenance throughout the mid-Atlantic area. Personal hand tools, appropriate construction clothing, and dependable transportation are required. Per Diem of \$60/day along with pay rates of \$10.50-\$17/hr. depending on experience and workability. Please contact:

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The Taco Bell located in Oakland, MD, is seeking friendly and motivated managers at the **General Manager** and **Assistant Manager** level for our restaurant located at 1045 North 4<sup>th</sup> Street, Oakland MD, 21550. Aarsand & Company/Taco Bell is an established franchise that operates 51 restaurant locations throughout Maryland, West Virginia, PA, and DE areas.

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## MISCELLANEOUS

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**FOR SALE** - DR chipper, 18 hp, electric start, less than 100 hours. New price \$3700, asking \$1800. Call 301-689-3200, ask for Mike. 27-2.

**FOR SALE** - New Aqua II outdoor water stove, burns wood/coal, 5-yr. warranty, will deliver, \$4800. 301-359-0307, 301-268-0753. 27-8.

**FOR SALE** - Box of flower pots & vases, \$7. Window blind, never used, \$12. Man's brown leather jacket, size large, \$20. Blond 6-drawer dresser, \$15. 301-334-1523. 27-2.

**FOR SALE** - 10 gallons of paint, brand new (primer & acrylic stain in one), deck & siding stain, mid tone base. Must see to appreciate. Paid \$450, asking \$200 or best offer. 301-387-9114. 27-2.

**FOR SALE** - Hilli power actuated tool, \$100. Call 301-501-2403. 27-4.

**FOR SALE** - Almost new trumpet, extras. 301-746-8666. 27-4.

**FOR SALE** - 3 suits: brown suit, 38" waist, \$50; 2 blue suits: 34" & 38" waists, JCPenney, washable, \$100 each. Gray ¾ length winter coat, size 40, \$25. 301-387-6829. 27-2.

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## MISCELLANEOUS

**FOR SALE** - Custom American Pacer trailer, 20 ft. x 8 ft. \$6500. 301-387-5396. 27-2.

**FOR SALE** - Apples: McIntosh, Jonathan, Ozark Gold, \$5-\$8 per bushel. Pears, \$9 per bushel. Danson plums, 50¢ per pound. Call to schedule pickup. Bring containers. Ruggles Orchards. 304-492-5751. 28-1.

**FOR SALE** - One-horse buckboard wagon. Very nice cond. \$1600 finn. 304-379-3948. 28-2.

**FOR SALE** - Plow frame, fits 1994-2004 Dodge. Free cast iron fire ring; you haul. 301-746-6289. 28-2.

**FOR SALE** - Pressure canner, 22 quart, \$40. 301-387-4717. 28-1.

**FOR SALE** - Selmer clarinet, like new, \$350. 301-334-6991. 28-2.

**FOR SALE** - 10 kilowatt generator, 16 hp, electric start, \$750 or best offer. 301-746-8162 or 301-616-0846. 28-4.

**BOOK REPAIRS** - For Bibles, hymnals, and other books. Loose covers and pages reset and tightened. Call Ivan Rowe, 301-334-4334. 28-1.

## FURN./CARPET &amp; APPLIANCES

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## MISCELLANEOUS

**FOR SALE** - Salon furniture. 8 pc. sectional in burgundy fabric, \$200. 4 dryer chairs, light pink, \$30 each (dryers not included). 3 hydraulic styling chairs, light pink, \$45 each. All pieces color coordinated. 301-334-4483; ask for Debbie. 28-1.

**FOR SALE** - O'Brien water skis, NordicTrack ski exerciser. 301-387-9666. 24-5.

**FREE** - Woodstove insert, good cond. Come & get it. 301-387-6696. 28-1.

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**FOR SALE** - Brown sleep sofa w/chair, \$100. Call 301-387-9218. 28-2.

**FOR SALE** - Small antique occasional table, smoker's cabinet, record cabinet. Each \$40 or \$100 for 3 pieces. Two oak tables, approx. 30x40 and 36x60. Best offer. 301-387-6501. 28-2.

**FOR SALE** - 2 bedroom suits: one antique, one can-nonball style. Floor model TV. Chest freezer. Must sell. 301-245-4287, 301-616-1875. 26-4.

## MISCELLANEOUS

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## GARAGE SALES

**YARD SALE** - Sat., Sept. 9; 7 a.m.-3 p.m. Rain or shine. Corner of Spring Glade Road & Spring Lane, from Sand Flat, 4th house on left. Some new items, holiday decorations, interior doors, furniture, tires, clothes & more. 28-1.

**YARD SALE** - Sept. 7, 8, 9; 8:30 - ? in front of Automotive Machine in Mtn. Lake Park. 28-1.

**GARAGE SALE** - Sat., Sept. 9; 7 a.m. - ?; 894 Fosters Inn Road, Grantsville, Md. Directions: gray & white house after Chestnut Ridge Greenhouse. 28-1.

**LARGE MULTI-FAMILY YARD SALE** - Rain or shine. Under pavilion at St. John's Church in the Cove, Sept. 8 & 9 from 8 to 3. Furniture, tools & miscellaneous. 28-1.

**GARAGE SALE** - Sept. 9; 8-5; 1244 Ben DeWitt Road. Rain or shine. Truck brush guard, girls' clothes 5-6, men's & women's clothes, books, toys & lots more. Great prices! 28-1.

## End-of-the Year Yard Sale

Everything must go!

No reasonable offer will be turned down!

Sept. 7-10 • 9 a.m. to ??

8 miles S. on Rt. 219 on the right

Baby toys, furniture, clothing (0-12 mo.), household items, glassware, table w/4 chairs, deep fryer, food processor, dishes, knick-knacks, books, jewelry, gardening tub, collectibles (Snow Babies &amp; others), women's, girls', &amp; boys' clothing (Xsmall-Xlarge), shoes, &amp; lots, lots more! Come &amp; see.

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## YARD SALE

Saturday, September 9

8 a.m. - 2 p.m.

39 Sunset Dr. &amp; 60 Sunset Dr.

(Mitchell Manor, Oakland, Md.)

RAIN OR SHINE!

Household items, linens, framed posters, lamps, Papasan chair with ottoman, VCR, metal typewriter table, microwave, keyboard drawer, West Bend aluminum canister set, goose down feather bed topper (twin size), 2 new bikes, exercise equipment, rollerblades, seasonal decorations, Sears lawn equipment, & many more items.

**ONE TIME YARD SALE** - Moved to Florida. Some antiques, paper money & coins, NASCAR memorabilia & banks, tools & toolbox, lots of misc. Location: Sand Flat to Boy Scout to 1193 Penn Point Rd.; Sept. 8-9; 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. 28-1.

**GARAGE SALE** - Sat., Sept. 9; Turkey Neck Rd.; 8 a.m. - ?; Children's clothing, toys, car seats, miscellaneous items. 28-1.

**MULTI-FAMILY GARAGE SALE** - Sept. 13, 14, 15, Wed., Thurs., Fri.; from 9-5; 2 miles from Loch Lynn on Rt. 560. Rain or shine.

**ATTENTION** - Persons who may have purchased items from the yard sale at 234 Ben DeWitt Road Fri. & Sat., Aug. 25 & 26, contact Randall Green at 301-616-0828 and I'll buy back the items. 27-2.

**MOVING SALE** - Selling the farm. Need to sell tractors, machinery, farm tools, shop tools, ladders, etc. Household items, canning jars, dishes, linens, tables, chairs, washer, TV, VCR & much more. Open daily throughout September, 3 miles west of Grantsville on Rt. 40, farm on the right. 27-5.

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 September 12<sup>th</sup> Primary  
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## GARAGE SALES

## End-of-the Year Yard Sale

Everything must go!

No reasonable offer will be turned down!

Sept. 7-10 • 9 a.m. to ??

8 miles S. on Rt. 219 on the right

Baby toys, furniture, clothing (0-12 mo.), household items, glassware, table w/4 chairs, deep fryer, food processor, dishes, knick-knacks, books, jewelry, gardening tub, collectibles (Snow Babies &amp; others), women's, girls', &amp; boys' clothing (Xsmall-Xlarge), shoes, &amp; lots, lots more! Come &amp; see.

28-1up

## YARD SALE

Saturday, September 9

8 a.m. - 2 p.m.

39 Sunset Dr. &amp; 60 Sunset Dr.

(Mitchell Manor, Oakland, Md.)

RAIN OR SHINE!

Household items, linens, framed posters, lamps, Papasan chair with ottoman, VCR, metal typewriter table, microwave, keyboard drawer, West Bend aluminum canister set, goose down feather bed topper (twin size), 2 new bikes, exercise equipment, rollerblades, seasonal decorations, Sears lawn equipment, & many more items.

**ONE TIME YARD SALE** - Moved to Florida. Some antiques, paper money & coins, NASCAR memorabilia & banks, tools & toolbox, lots of misc. Location: Sand Flat to Boy Scout to 1193 Penn Point Rd.; Sept. 8-9; 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. 28-1.

**GARAGE SALE** - Sat., Sept. 9; Turkey Neck Rd.; 8 a.m. - ?; Children's clothing, toys, car seats, miscellaneous items. 28-1.

**MULTI-FAMILY GARAGE SALE** - Sept. 13, 14, 15, Wed., Thurs., Fri.; from 9-5; 2 miles from Loch Lynn on Rt. 560. Rain or shine.

**ATTENTION** - Persons who may have purchased items from the yard sale at 234 Ben DeWitt Road Fri. & Sat., Aug. 25 & 26, contact Randall Green at 301-616-0828 and I'll buy back the items. 27-2.

**MOVING SALE** - Selling the farm. Need to sell tractors, machinery, farm tools, shop tools, ladders, etc. Household items, canning jars, dishes, linens, tables, chairs, washer, TV, VCR & much more. Open daily throughout September, 3 miles west of Grantsville on Rt. 40, farm on the right. 27-5.

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# ANTIQUES

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**LOST** - Sept. 4 on New Germany Rd., Grantsville, near the state park: small black female dachshund, 10 yrs. old, named Daisy. Red collar. Special pet of elderly lady. 301-895-3768. 28-1.

**NASCAR INSIDER**  
See Page B3

# RECREATION

**FOR SALE** - 2003 Jayco Qwest travel trailer. Aluminum frame, fiberglass siding. Like new cond. 28', queen-size bed, bunk beds, extra outdoor shower, outside grill, lots of storage. Asking \$12,500. 301-689-3973. 28-2.

**FOR SALE** - 2004 Polaris Sportsman 700 Twin 4x4. Green & black. 370 miles. Wam 3.0 winch. Front & rear brush guards. Cargo rack extenders. Windshield. Exc. cond. \$5200. 301-334-6544. 26-4.

**FOR SALE** - 2001 pop-up camper, like new. \$5500. 301-387-5869. 28-2.

**FOR SALE** - E-Z-GO golf carts, gas or electric, customizable options. Knepper Farm & Outdoor Equipment, Berlin, Pa. Call 814-483-0108; www.kneppers.net. 28-5.

**FOR SALE** - 2003 Suzuki Z400, \$3000. 2002 F-250, diesel, 7.3, \$23,000. 301-707-3555. 27-3.

**FOR SALE** - 25' motor home, nice cond., runs really good. Rebuilt motor has less than 2000 miles on it. Fully contained with generator, \$6000 or best offer. Call evenings after 5. 304-789-2363. 27-2.

**FOR SALE** - 2000 Honda 70 motorcycle; \$700. 301-334-4121. 27-2.

**FOR SALE** - 2003 Suzuki 800 Intruder. Custom paint & accessories. 6500 miles, \$5300. 301-616-6214. 27-2.

**FOR SALE** - 1982 Nomad travel trailer. Self-contained, no air condition. Sleeps 7. Gas & electric. Ideal for hunting purpose. Stored indoors. Best offer. 301-746-5723. 26-3.

**FOR SALE** - 2000 Palomino camper, 22', ultra lite, hard body, sleeps 6, air, bath, slide-out. Used twice. Exc. cond. \$8000. 301-334-3189. 23-7.

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**FOR SALE** - Pontoon boat, 1999, 22' Godfrey Parti Kraft, 40 hp Mercury motor, good cond., runs great, \$5000. Available immediately. 410-848-0414. 28-4.

**FOR SALE** - 1987 Cobalt 19', 8-passenger, 260 hp, great cond., with trailer, \$8400 or best offer. 301-387-6563. 28-5.

**FOR SALE** - 1995 Parti Kraft pontoon with 50 hp Mercury motor. Runs great, looks good. 301-387-7576. 28-2.

**FOR SALE** - Boat trailer, heavy-duty dual axle with brakes, \$2000 or best offer. 301-387-6563. 28-5.

**FOR SALE** - 1966 Chris-Craft Cavalier. 18 ft., open end board, 327 engine, with 1999 E-Z Haul trailer, \$5000. Call 301-501-2403. 27-4.

**FOR SALE** - 1993 17' Tournament Bass Tracker with galvanized trailer, 60 hp Evinrude, 2 electric motors, fish finder, live well, batteries, anchors & life jackets. 301-533-0470. 27-2.

**FOR SALE** - 1992 Bayliner, 19', inboard Merc motor, built-in cuddy, \$4750. 301-359-9090. 27-4.

**FOR SALE** - 1984 Supra Beast w/new trailer. \$5500. 301-387-5396. 27-2.

**FOR SALE** - 1998 Wellcraft Eclipse 1600 SS 18' bowrider. MerCruiser I/O 220 hp. Exc. cond., with E-Z-Loader trailer. \$9500. 410-977-3262. 27-3.

**FOR SALE** - 1986 Celebrity bowrider w/trailer. 185 hp outdrive. Needs minor engine work. \$2000 or best offer. 301-533-4444. 27-2.

**FOR SALE** - 1982 Harris FloteBote 28' pontoon with 110 hp Johnson. Seats 18, AM/FM CD. Comes with all safety equipment & life jackets. Runs great. \$4000 or best offer. 301-746-8041. 26-5.

**FOR SALE** - 1979 16' Terry bass boat, 100 hp. Runs good. \$3000. 301-746-8065. 26-5.

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# AUTOMOTIVE

**FOR SALE** - 1991 Chevy 3500, newer Jasper engine & trans., new tires, 11 ft. utility bed. \$4500. 304-379-2655. 28-5.

**FOR SALE** - 2001 Chevrolet Astro LS van, \$6200. All wheel drive, exc. cond., perfect interior, 108K highway miles, 22 mpg/hwy. Must see to appreciate. 301-387-8378. 28-2.

**FOR SALE** - 1987 Pontiac Firebird, \$1500. 301-387-5869. 28-2.

**FOR SALE** - 2001 Chevy Cavalier, 4 cyl automatic, air conditioned; 56,000 miles. Excellent gas mileage & exc. cond. New tires & brakes. Asking \$5100 or best offer. In evenings, call 301-387-6696. 28-1.

**FOR SALE** - 1987 300E Mercedes. Fine automobile for a small price. Looks great in & out. Must see to appreciate. \$6500. Call Stu at 301-387-4233 or 240-321-1025. 28-4.

**FOR SALE** - 1996 Neon, runs good, great gas mileage, good work vehicle, \$550. Call 301-334-8814. 28-2.

**FOR SALE** - 1997 Pontiac Grand Am GT, white. 108,000 mi. Fair cond., fully loaded, moonroof, AC. \$1500 or best offer. 301-334-0681. 28-3.

**FOR SALE** - 4x4 Ford Explorer. Very good cond. \$3500 or best offer. 301-533-0336. 28-3.

**FOR SALE** - 1995 Ford pickup, 2WD, 6 cyl. Great work truck. \$800 or best offer. Call Donny at 301-387-4233 or 240-321-1030. 28-5.

**FOR SALE** - 1989 Chevrolet 4x4 pickup truck, \$1300. Good body & frame, 4x4 works, motor runs, great "fix me up" or parts. 301-387-8378. 28-2.

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33 Liberty Sport 4Dr 4x4 72K. \$11,900  
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**2004 Jeep Wrangler Rubicon**  
4x4, Solar Yellow. Soft top.  
16,400+ miles. Clean.  
Great condition!  
Many extras: side steps, bra, neoprene Jeep seat covers, remaining factory warranty.  
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# FOR RENT

**FOR RENT** - In Cranestown 2 BR, 1 BA house located in country setting, includes small barn & paddock. 15 minutes from Deep Creek. 45 minutes from Morgantown. \$750. 304-789-6866. 27-5.

**FOR RENT** - Immaculate, completely furnished, 1 BR apartment. Close to all lake activities. No smoking/pets. Seasonal, weekly, monthly or short-term lease available. Call 301-387-2001 for details. 27-2.

**FOR RENT** - House, 3 BR, 2 BA in Oakland, all appliances, full basement. Non-smoking. No pets. Close to schools & all amenities. Sec. dep. required. 301-616-8800. 27-5.

# AUTOMOTIVE

**FOR SALE** - 1995 Plymouth Voyager. \$1800 as is. 301-746-8878. 28-4.

**FOR SALE** - 1999 Chevy Malibu 4 dr sedan, 4 cyl; 57,000 miles. \$5200. 301-501-2403. 28-2.

**FOR SALE** - 2003 Jeep Grand Cherokee Overland. Every available option. 4.7L HO V8; 1-7-2008 or 100,000 mile warranty. Quadra-drive, gray leather, tow pkg., graphite metallic exterior, exc. cond. 76,300 miles. \$16,000 or best offer. 724-454-9426. 27-3.

**FOR SALE** - 2006 Chevy Silverado, 271 LS, ext. cab, 6 1/2 ft. bed, diamond toolbox, tow pkg. PWR, CD, loaded, 3800 miles, silver/gray, \$29K. 304-789-2135. 27-2.

**FOR SALE** - 2000 GMC Sierra 1500 4x4, 8 ft. bed, liner & cargo cover; 53,000 miles. \$14,000. Call 301-501-2403. 27-4.

**FOR SALE** - 2001 Dodge pickup, 1500 Series SLT, regular cab, 8' bed; 63,000 miles. \$10,500 or best offer. Call 301-334-1488. 26-5.

**FOR SALE** - 2002 GMC Envoy SLE, 4x4, power, CMC cassette, air, tow package, 58K, exc. cond. \$12,900; price reduced. 301-707-3457. 301-895-3964. 26-3.

**FOR SALE** - 2004 Dodge Ram 1500 hemi, white, 4 dr, auto, all power options, tow pkg., DVD; 30,000 miles; new tires. Lots of warranty. \$21,000. 301-746-8041. 26-5.

**FOR SALE** - 2002 Cadillac DeVille DTS, auto, 4 dr, front wheel drive, traction control, leather, loaded, lots of extras, new tires, very nice; 84,000 miles. \$15,000 or best offer. 301-746-8041. 26-5.

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**FOR SALE** - 2001 VW Beetle GLS. Alloy wheels, heated leather, sunroof, bra, hoop wing, PL, PW, 6-disc CD changer, manual trans. NADA retail \$10,450; will sell for \$8200. Call 301-387-5869. 25-4.

**FOR SALE** - 2 cargo Caravans for one price: 1995 & 1993, 3.3L, 2006 PA inspection sticker. New tires on '95. \$1500. 301-387-2304. 25-4.

**FOR SALE** - 1994 Chevy Impala SS, original owner; 86,000 miles. Good shape, asking \$9000. 301-616-4446. 25-4.

**FOR SALE** - 1987 Dodge ton truck. Good motor & body. 301-334-3415 after 5 p.m. 24-5.

**FOR SALE** - 2005 Dodge Dakota 4WD, club cab, V8 auto, air, cruise, tilt, AM/FM/CD, heated seats; 23,000 miles. \$15,000. 301-746-7222 or 301-616-7222. 21-tfn.

**FOR SALE** - 2005 Ford Escape. Loaded. \$16,500. 304-788-1808. 27-4.

**FOR SALE** - 2004 Jeep Wrangler Rubicon 4x4, solar yellow, soft top; 16,400+ miles, clean, great cond. Many extras: side steps, bra, neoprene Jeep seat covers, remaining factory warranty. \$21,500. 301-616-3454. 21-tfn.

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**FOR RENT** - 2 BR, 1 BA mobile home near Potomac State Forest. Private, 14x70, oil heat, washer & dryer included. \$500/month + electric. Deposit & credit report required. 301-334-6101 or 301-334-3485. 28-2.

**FOR RENT** - 4 BR farmhouse, Avilton area, \$500/month. 301-938-2146. 28-3.

**FOR RENT** - 1 BR apartment; single occupancy. Util. included in rent. Sec. dep. & ref. required. Nonsmoker, no pets. 301-334-3856. 28-5.

**FOR RENT** - House in Deep Creek Lake area. Over 2200 sq. ft., fully furnished, 3 BR, 2 BA, loft, 2 living areas, fully equipped kitchen, washer/dryer, AC. 6-, 9- & 12-month leases available. Snow removal, lawn maintenance, water & sewerage included. \$1300/month plus utilities. Available Nov. 1. 301-501-0164. 28-8.

**FOR RENT** - Deep Creek Lake, lakefront home, long term only. Furnished 4 BR, 2 BA, 1 loft, 2 family rooms, 2 covered porches, governor's drive, large level yard, type A dock in quiet cove, 2 refrigerators, 3 TVs & VCRs and blinds. \$950 plus utilities. 412-287-5757. 26-5.

**FOR RENT** - Laurelbrook; furnished. 2 BR, BA, laundry & fireplace, \$700 plus util., sec. dep. required. 1-room efficiency apartment. \$400 plus util. & sec. dep. 410-935-9447. 26-3.

**FOR RENT** - 3 BR house with basement, large yard. \$600/month + deposit + utilities. Deep Creek Lake area. 304-379-7939. 26-3.

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Lakefront 4 BR House  
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**FOR RENT** - 3 BR house in Loch Lynn with basement & garage. Big yard, so a riding mower is necessary & required. Stove & fridge included. Fuel oil furnace. No pets & absolutely no smoking! \$500/month plus util. & sec. dep. Ref. required. If interested, call 301-334-4397. 27-2.

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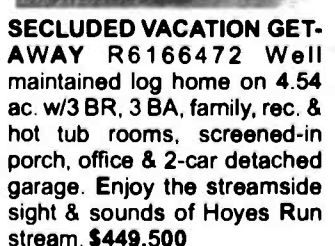
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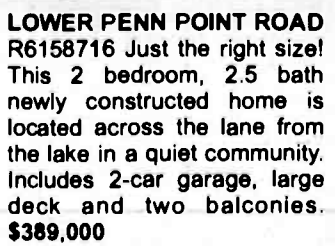
**MOUNTAIN GETAWAY** R6156412 Escape to the mountains of Western Maryland and hide away in this 3 bedroom Mountaineer log home. 45.56 acres backing to the Savage River State Forest. Detached 3-level garage, storage shed and views! **\$739,000**



**NEW CONSTRUCTION! LAKE ACCESS** R6158674 Delight in the beauty of nature. Vaulted ceilings & stacked stone fireplace. Eat-in kitchen w/granite countertops & maple cabinetry. Lower level w/FP, 2nd laundry room & patios. Under construction **\$699,000**



**SECLUDED VACATION GETAWAY** R6166472 Well maintained log home on 4.54 ac. w/3 BR, 3 BA, family, rec. & hot tub rooms, screened-in porch, office & 2-car detached garage. Enjoy the streamside sight & sounds of Hoyes Run stream. **\$449,500**



**DUPLEX WITH LAKE VIEW** R6156252 This home is located on Deep Creek Drive, in the heart of Deep Creek Lake attractions. A duplex offering a three bedroom unit and a one bedroom unit. Lake views from the front deck. **\$425,000**

**COZY MOUNTAIN CHALET** R6161349 Cozy mountain chalet w/panoramic sunset views on 2 acres. Very well maintained 3 BR, & 3 bath home. Stone fireplace w/gas insert. Wraparound deck, native stone & cedar exterior. Walk to state land. **\$349,900**

**SAND FLAT ROAD** R6153476 One look is all it takes! Come see this immaculate 4 bedroom, 2 bath DCL area home. 1 acre well manicured lot features fruit bearing trees, an above ground pool, articulate landscaping, 2 decks, & more! **\$229,000**

**AURORA** RW6172719 Easily accessible two bedroom, two bath log home in a great country setting surrounded by woods. Located near 2 ski resorts and several state parks. Also includes a detached 40x24 garage. **\$174,900**

**FRIENDSVILLE ROAD** R6155648 Conveniently located to I-68, 3 BR, 2 BA home w/full basement. Kitchen has lots of counter space & oak cabinets. MBA has garden tub & separate shower. A must see! **\$139,900**

**CONVENIENT LOCATION** R6172513 3 BR ranch style home on two town lots, 1-car attached garage, move-in condition. Walking distance to Broadford Park, close to schools & shopping. Priced to sell! **\$107,500**



**LAKEVIEW TOWNHOUSE - VILLAGES OF WISP** R6168313 This 3BR/BA town home has the best views of the lake available in the Villages. Being sold turnkey with nice furniture, recently upgraded kitchen and hot tub included. Slope access and lake access. **\$405,000**



**LAKELAND ESTATES** R6168707 Great views of Deep Creek Lake from this 3 BR, 2 BA town home located in the heart of all lake activities. This is a great opportunity to get your foot in the door in the Deep Creek Lake resort market. **\$379,000**

**LAKELAND ESTATES UNIT 2** R6167691 Wonderful views of Deep Creek Lake from this 3 bedroom, 2 bath townhome located in the heart of all lake activities. This is a great opportunity to get your foot in the door in the Deep Creek Lake resort market. **\$369,000**



**END UNIT TOWN HOME NEAR DCL** R6175021 Furnished 3-level, end unit town home conveniently located near DC Lake. This bright and airy home has family room, master bedroom w/deck & walk-in closet, wood stove, fireplace & full bath on each level. **\$254,900**

**NEW CONDOS**

**SKI HARBOR** R6155878 Turnkey unit in the heart of DCL amenities w/slope views. Lake access, indoor pool, community building, tennis, basketball, & sand volleyball courts. Dock slip avail. through HOA. Est. rental history. **\$249,000**

**WISP CONDO** R6151845 This Wisp Condo unit is a great investment opportunity! Recently remodeled w/great views of the golf course & ski slope. Affordability & a great amenities package are the key positive factors for prospective buyers. Ski passes, golf passes, indoor pool, tennis courts, exercise facility, on-site restaurants & so much more for your year-round enjoyment. **\$89,500**



**309 S SECOND STREET** R6173206 Downtown building with parking spaces in rear currently being used as Beauty Salon with 3 floors of usable space. Remodeled and ready for investor to lease or business owner that needs great space. **\$249,900**



**DEEP CREEK HIGHLANDS** R6155545 Enjoy an amazing lake view with a dedicated dock slip! Just steps away from Wisp Ski Area and the Adventure Sports Center. Tennis, swimming pool, rec. area, biking and hiking are part of the amenities. **\$495,900**

**LAKE ACCESS LOT WITH VIEW** R6155939 Build your vacation home on this wooded lake access lot providing lake and mountain views and a boat slip. It is a member of Alpine Village, a community of esteemed homes with central lake location. **\$495,000**

**SKI & LAKE LIVING** R6166178 Be part of the excitement at Wisp Mtn. Resort w/this Highline building lot featuring majestic views of DCL & surrounding mtns. Enjoy an easy walk to ski slopes right from the village. Perfect for year-round opportunities in a premier ski & lake community. **\$249,900**

**PERGIN FARM** R6059757 3 acre secluded/wooded lot located along Pergin Farm Rd. Year-round easy access. Ideal lake area building site within walking distance to DCL & close to all attractions. **\$159,900**

**LOOKING FOR PEACE & QUIET?** R6154561 Enjoy the private setting of the Clearings, just minutes from Wisp Ski Area. 5 acre wooded lot with your own mountain stream. 4 bedroom perk. **\$129,900**

**PEACEFUL BUILDING LOT** R6158706 Build your cabin among the pines on this gently sloping lot. Perked for a 4 bedroom home, close to all lake activities and Swallow Falls State Park. **\$99,000**

**WOODED PRIVACY** R6161398 Private 1.41 acre lake area building lot featuring wooded privacy, no association dues, level topography, & the perfect cabin-in-the-woods setting. Take advantage of this affordable opportunity to escape to the mountains. Shared cul-de-sac - 3 BR max. perk - survey available. **\$59,900**

**PRICE CHANGES**  
**Homes**

**WORTH THE WAIT** R6143670 Exquisite 5 bedroom home with 2 master suites w/master baths & jetted tubs, 2 masonry fireplaces, rec. room, den, screened gazebo, Class A dock, 100' lakefront & superb views of DC Lake. **\$1,649,000**

**CUSTOM HOME WITH SCENIC VIEWS** R6111557 With construction completed this custom contemporary home offers more than you would imagine. You may be most amazed with the beautiful mountain & pastoral views looking onto Penn. & W.Va. A must see! **\$1,449,000**

**INVEST IN YOUR FUTURE** R6025855 Fantastic lakefront and ski slope location! Charming 3 bedroom cottage located on an absolutely beautiful level lakefront lot. 100' of frontage. Use cottage for a while, then build your dream home. **\$865,000**

**WATERFRONT GREENS** R5556880 Beautifully maintained home overlooking golf course and lake. Main level living offers 4 suites w/private baths, large great room, deck, 2-car garage, family room w/FP & wet bar. **\$675,000**

**SWALLOW FALLS CABIN ON 60 ACRES** R6134023 Picture the perfect Historic Stone cabin setting and this is it! With 60 acres that border Swallow Falls State Forest & The Nature Conservancy, privacy & natural beauty abound, yet only minutes away from Deep Creek Lake & Wisp Ski Resort! With direct access to several thousand acres of State Forest and miles of trails, this is a one-of-a-kind property for the outdoor enthusiast! **\$649,000**

**LAKE ACCESS HEAVEN** R6062872 This home has it all! 4 BR, 3 1/2 bath, lg. loft, lg. stone FP, great kitchen & dining area! Lake view & deeded lake access w/slip an easy stroll across the street! Lake living at its best! **\$639,000**

**MODULAR WITH 6 ACRES & BOAT SLIP** R6000521 Quality built modular home on six wooded acres. Close to lake area attractions and yet in a private setting. This home has been well maintained. Boat slip is only a short drive away. **\$514,900**

**325 MOSSER ROAD** R6087602 Well maintained 3 BR, 2 bath home with views of Deep Creek Lake. Home features a heated garage, an office, and hot tub all on a beautifully landscaped lot with a fenced in back yard. **\$400,000**

**ROCK LODGE ROAD** R5350273 Charming cottage with room to grow! Beautiful level lake access with boat slip! Located within minutes of DCL & Wisp amenities. Being sold furnished with established rental history. **\$389,900**

**NEW LOTS**

**RIVERFRONT LOG HOME** R6006812 New Mountaineer Log Home on the Youghiogheny River. Make this your escape to the mountains to enjoy the seclusion, nature and riverfront amenities of this home. Basement is unfinished. **\$324,000**

**GETAWAY CHALET** R6135411 3 BR, 2 BA, customized kitchen cabinetry, modern appliances, granite countertops, HW floors, ceramic tile, wood FP, full basement, family room & 2nd FP. 2-levels. Panoramic views. Close to Wisp & DCL. **\$302,500**

**HOME ON 3 LOTS BACKING STATE FOREST** R5571471 3 bedroom, 2 bath split foyer on 3 lots. Oak kitchen. Family room with full native stone wall with fireplace. Recently renovated bathroom. **\$274,900**

**NEW CONSTRUCTED HOME** R6132635 This 3 bedroom, 2 bath home features a cultured stone gas fireplace with handmade hemlock mantel and cathedral tongue and groove ceilings throughout. Home is conveniently located in Mtn. Lake Park. **\$219,900**

**CLOSE TO LAKE ACTIVITIES** R6046375 Wonderfully maintained cedar home on 1 acre wooded lot. 3 BR, 2 BA, 2 storage sheds & transfer switch for generator. Short distance to Wisp. You cannot find many homes in this price range! **\$212,500**

**1670 MOSSER ROAD** R5423962 Nice rancher right in heart of DCL area. Fully finished lower level & attached 2-car garage give you extra space you've been needing. Catch view of Wisp or sunset from covered front porch or living room. **\$209,000**

**MOVE IN CONDITION** R6125675 This three bedroom, two bath rancher has been updated and is in move-in condition, complete with appliances and out buildings. Conveniently located within walking distance to Town Park. **\$184,900**

**Commercial**

**RESTAURANT FOR SALE** R4564227 Located at 145 Bumble Bee Road (formerly Bumble-B's). Truly a great location for local & seasonal traffic. Being offered turnkey, this is a well established local & vacationers' dining destination! **\$199,500**

**COMMERCIAL OPPORTUNITY** AL5525830 Existing building, property (includes 2 parcels), & presently operating business. Whelan's Tavern. Most equipment & fixtures convey w/sale. High traffic locale. **\$175,000**

**Condos**

**GREAT VIEWS OF DCL** R6012343 Stunning views of DCL from almost every room. Conveniently located home is nicely landscaped & furnished. Features include: jetted tub, 2 gas FPs, hot tub, family & recreation room & separate laundry. **\$521,000**

**KEEP IT SIMPLE** R5556846 Experience amazing lake views, convenience, spacious decking, FP & everything necessary to create vacation memories with this 2 bedroom condo. Prime location, walking distance to seasonal boat slip. **\$239,900**

**Price Changes**

**THREE MOSSER NORTH** R6102237 Well maintained 3 BR/1 BA condo at Three Mosser North. Well maintained, recently updated kitchen w/oak cabinets, new appliances & Pergo floating hardwood floors. Utility closet w/new washer/dryer. Within minutes to lake activities. **\$169,900**

**CENTER OF ATTENTION** R5380230 Preferred floor plan with preferred view. Take advantage of this cost effective way to be part of the action at Deep Creek Lake & Wisp Mtn. Ski & Adventure Sports. Sep. BR & sitting area w/pull-down Murphy bed. Enjoy the Wisp amenities. Condo fee applies if unit is removed from rental pool. **\$85,000**

**SLOPE FRONT WISP HOTEL** R5233842 Renovated condo unit puts you in the center of DCL action! On-site fun featuring skiing, golf, indoor pool, racquetball, tennis, exercise room, restaurants & shops. Ski/golf package included. **\$84,000**

**Lots**

**LARGE ACREAGE** R6029374 3 parcels totaling 128+ acres with woods, pond, & fields. Topography is level to rolling with 6 approved perks & is surveyed. Ideal horse farm or mountain escape. **\$689,000**

**48.43 SECLUDED ACRES** R6097301 Wooded & mostly level acre. Property is currently subdivided into 2 lots. 7.5+ acre parcel & 40.5+ acre. Appraisal available upon request. **\$189,900**

**LOT # 34 THE PINNACLE** R5351551 Looking for a lot in the center of DCL amenities? This is it! Minutes from Wisp Ski Resort & 2 miles to movies & restaurants. Seasonal lake views, lake access & tennis courts, too! **\$170,900**

**LEVEL LAKE AREA LOT** R5461791 Private setting within walking distance to the lake. Level building lot, 4 BR perk. Utilities to property, driveway in place. Close to all Deep Creek Lake activities & amenities. **\$149,900**

**40.5+ SECLUDED ACRES** R6097327 Wooded & mostly level with beautiful mountain views. 10 miles to DCL & 2 miles to Jennings Randolph Lake Boat Ramp. Property has not been timbered for 20 years. Additional 7.5+ acres available. **\$149,900**

**LOT #14 SLOAN TRACT** R5371777 Level, wooded building site on Lake Shore Drive, one row back from Deep Creek Lake. Perfectly central location with great looking homes for neighbors. Right in the heart of Deep Creek's fun zone. **\$124,500**

**7.5+ SECLUDED ACRES** R6097342 Wooded & mostly level acre w/beautiful mtn. views. 10 miles from DCL & 2 miles from Jennings Randolph Lake Boat Ramp. Property has not been timbered for 20 years. Additional 40.5+ ac. available. **\$99,900**

**CLOSE ROAD, LOT #19** R6046453 Wooded 1 acre lot located in McHenry close to Wisp & DCL. Quiet setting in great neighborhood. Ready for your dream home! **\$79,000**

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## FluMist Program Will Be Available To Elem. Students

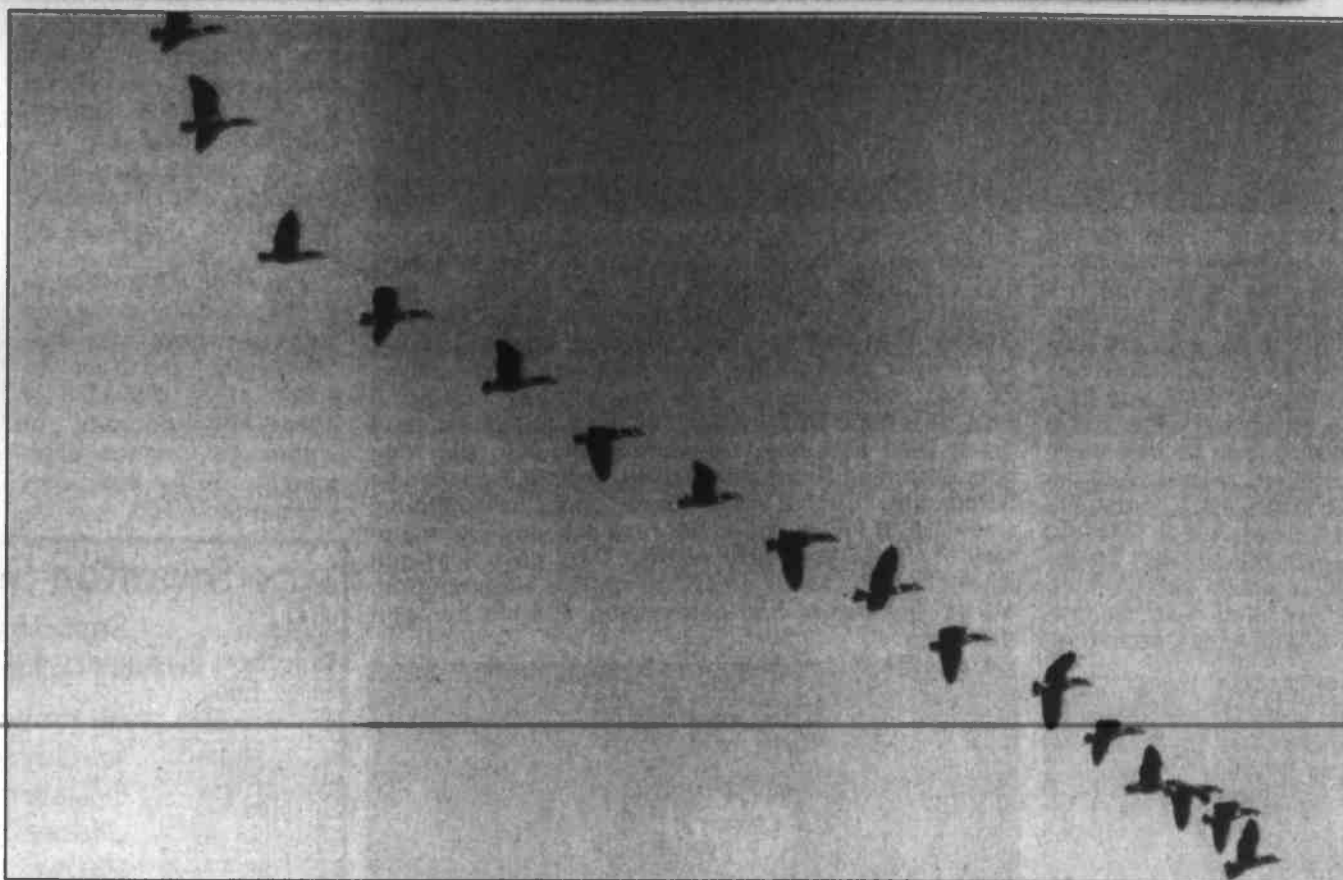
Students in elementary schools in Garrett County will be given the opportunity to participate in a volunteer FluMist™ program this year that will inoculate them against influenza, according to Rodney Giotfelty, health officer with the Garrett County Health Department.

"Influenza is a serious disease and it results in nearly 36,000 deaths in the United States each year," said Giotfelty. "It's also serious in children and results in high fevers, chills, and muscle aches, requiring bed rest and numerous days away from school."

The project is being coordinated by the Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene and funded jointly by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, the flu vaccine manufacturer MedImmune, and the Governor's Office. Funds are only being provided for a pilot project this year.

FluMist™ is an intranasal inoculation, and no needles are involved. Giotfelty added that this is 87% effective, and some studies even say the effectiveness is 92%.

"We have a great working relationship with the school system, and this is an



**A "VEE" OF GEESE** - While some Canada geese reside in Garrett County all year, they do increase in number in late summer and early fall, as this area is their "south." Many fly here from points much farther north, and then winter over in the Maryland mountains. It's always fun to see them winging past, forming their unique flying V-shape, honking to each other.

## Test Scores, Master Plan Highlighted At GC Board Of Education Meeting

The 2006 test scores and the Master Plan for the Garrett County Board of Education were highlighted at this week's monthly meeting. The test scores showed "wonderful results" and continue to

be supported through the Master Plan, according to Dr. Brenda McCartney, assistant superintendent.

The MSA (Maryland State Assessment) results showed a significant increase for all students scoring proficient, especially in the special education area, said McCartney. She added that no elementary or middle school was identified as a "school in need of improvement" or as "in need of local attention."

McCartney discussed the proficiency percentage point gain from 2005 to 2006, which highlighted the significant increases in special education. In elementary reading, the point gain was 15.4, and in math it was 15.3. For special education students in middle school, the increase for reading was 13.9 and 20.5 for math.

Part of the Master Plan is to define strategies that support school improvement. Some of the major strategies to support improvement on the MSA for 2006-2007 are to align instructional time.

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Are they keeping one another in line with all that noise? Or are they just socializing as they fly? They seem to be in sync with their wings in this photo — up down, up down, all the way along the line. A nice sight, and one of so many this time of year in this picturesque corner of the world. Photo by John McEwen.

## 243rd Members To Be Welcomed Home From Iraq

The area Military Family Support Group will hold a homecoming celebration for members of the Maryland Army National Guard 243rd Engineering Unit this Sunday, Sept. 17, at the Oakland American Legion. Members of the 243rd served in Iraq during their 15-month deployment.

Refreshments will be served beginning at 4 p.m. A program is slated for 5 p.m., featuring proclamations prepared by the Garrett County commissioners and presented to all service personnel who have served in active duty during the last year or who are currently serving.

"In addition to the 243rd, this includes all service personnel who serve in other branches or other locations," said a support group spokesperson. "We urge the public to come and honor our local heroes."

The Military Family Support Group is available for all persons in the area who have a family member currently in the service, re-

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## MLP Family Displaced By Structure Fire

A fire of unknown origin displaced a Mtn. Lake Park family early Sunday, causing an estimated \$50,000 in damages to the one-story, wood-frame structure and contents, located at 809 Q Street.

Kathleen Welch, who is the owner of the house, her three children, and one grandchild escaped the fire uninjured thanks to being awakened by a smoke alarm, according to a report from Deputy State Fire Marshal Jamie Rodeheaver, who investigated.

Volunteers from the Oakland, Deer Park, and Gorman fire departments responded to the 5:05 a.m. alarm. The firefighters brought the blaze under control in about five minutes.

Rodeheaver reported that the fire started in the garage, but he said he found no evidence to indicate that the cause was suspicious. The case remains under investigation.

The Welch family is currently being assisted by neighbors.

Also responding to the scene was the Southern Rescue Squad. There were no injuries reported.

## Log Cabin Condos Added To County's Water, Sewer Plan

The Garrett County commissioners voted unanimously on Tuesday to include a new Deep Creek Lake development into the county's water and sewer master plan, immediately following a public hearing on the issue. Only one local resident attended the hearing.

The developer of Yellowstone Villages requested in March to be included in the plan. The proposed development will be located along Paradise Heights Road (Tax Map 58, Parcel 74) and will consist of 36 to 38 log cabin units in an area zoned Town Residential. Each unit is considered a condominium, and the real property is owned in common by a condominium association, said Linda Lindsey, interim director of Garrett County Department of Public Utilities.

She noted that the development site was already located within the Deep Creek Lake Sewer Sanitary District so the boundary will not have to be amended. Sewer service for each unit will be provided by the public sewer system.

"Water service will be provided by a private water system constructed by the developer," Lindsey added. The system will contain two 6-inch wells and two 5,000-gallon fiberglass retention storage tanks. She said one of the wells is presently in place and yields 100 gallons of water per minute.

Water quality testing indicated that only disinfection would be required for treatment to meet potable water standards, Lindsey said.

Other actions taken by the Garrett County commissioners during their public meeting this week included the following:

- Proclaimed Sept. 17-23 as Constitution Week in Garrett County.

- Heard an update report from general superintendent Fred Polce, Garrett County Roads Department.

- Accepted a bid award of \$134,529.70 from Giotfelty Enterprises, Oakland, for 556 tires for county vehicles. There was no charge.

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**THE FASTEST FINISHER** ever on the Southern High cross country course at Broadford Park is Northern High School's Ryan Bowser, who blitzed over the 3-mile, rigorous terrain in record time on Monday during a multi-team meet hosted by the Rams. Bowser chopped four seconds off the record time set two years ago by Dan DeWitt of Beall, crossing the finish line in 17 minutes, 4 seconds. See details on sports pages. Photo by John McEwen.

## Absentee Republican Ballots Needed To Determine Who Will Be Sheriff

All but a few races in Garrett County's primary election have been decided; however, some races were just too close to declare a winner after polls closed Tuesday evening. The more than 240 yet-to-be-counted Republican absentee ballots are needed to determine who will be Garrett County's new sheriff and make up the Republican Central Committee.

All together, there are about 308 absentee ballots. The local election board began counting those all-important votes this morning at about 11:30 a.m. Director Steve Fratz said the results will not be known until around 2 p.m. today. Additionally, provisional ballots will be counted on Monday and military ballots on Wednesday. Ballots will also need to be verified next Wednesday, Fratz noted. All of the following numbers, therefore, are "unofficial."

Of the 16,028 registered voters, only 6,278, or 39.1 percent, cast ballots, according to the election board.

In the county sheriff's race, Maj. Gary Berkebile was only seven votes ahead of Capt. Larry Gnegy on Tuesday. Not accounting absentee ballots, Berkebile received 2,085; Gnegy 2,078; and former chief deputy Harland Tichnell, 632. All ran on the Republican ticket. The winner will appear on the Nov. 7 general election ballot unopposed.

Gnegy, who lives in the Oakland area, received the majority of votes in most of the southern precincts,

while Berkebile, who lives in the Accident area, received most of the votes in the northern precincts.

Sheriff Dick Sanders chose not to run for re-election, but supported Berkebile in his bid for sheriff.

Absentee ballots will also help determine who is on the Republican Central Committee. Ten candidates vied for seven openings on the committee, and only 33 votes separate the unofficial seventh and eighth place finishers. Arzella Parsons received 2,661 votes; Michael Bittinger, 2,462; Ruth Umbel, 2,337; Bea Crocco, 2,152; Sheila O'Neill, 2,151; Brandon Butler, 1,772; Edward Clemons, 1,471; Ann Rebele, 1,438; Jeffery Conner, 1,246; and Thomas Sheahan, 1,177.

Absentee ballots may play a role in deciding the winner of the Republican nomination for the House of Delegates 1A. After the polls closed on Tuesday, Wendell Beitzel was ahead of Jay Moyer by 309 votes. In order to win the election, therefore, Moyer will probably have to have all 244 Republican absentee votes from Garrett County, plus more than 65 absentee votes from the Georges Creek precincts in Allegany County.

Beitzel, however, showed strong support from Georges Creek on Tuesday, winning 444, or 36.88 percent, of the votes in that area. With only 143 votes, Moyer came in fourth.

Beitzel currently has 1,873 votes; Moyer 1,564; Continued on Page A-7



**WELL REPRESENTED AT STATE FAIR** - Garrett County was well-represented by both livestock and youth in various categories at the Maryland State Fair in Timonium recently. Pictured above with his sheep is Justin Fitzwater of Oakland. The pair came in first in the market class, then received the title of reserve grand champion. A total of 183 sheep were shown at the fair. Below is Chaele Kling, who traveled to the Maryland State Fair with her Holstein "Cameo" and



**LOCH LYNN CELEBRATES HOMECOMING** - A Picnic in the Park and Homecoming Celebration was held at Loch Lynn Heights on Aug. 25 and 26, with hundreds of residents and guests coming out to enjoy the many activities and events. Part of Saturday's attractions was a re-enactment of Civil War reenactment, part of which is pictured above, as well as a Cruise in, a softball game, carriage and donkey rides, a speeiel

drug awareness exhibit by the Garrett County Sheriff's Office, and a wide variety of musical entertainment. Another highlight of the weekend was the dedication of the athletic complex in memory of Charlie Grubb, who was remembered and memorialized for his dedication and commitment to the youth of Garrett County. See additional pictures in this section. Photo courtesy of Carolyn Corley.



## Lt. Gov. Steele To Visit Oakland

Lt. Gov. Michael Steele is set to visit Oakland on Monday, Sept. 18. He will be in front of the courthouse from 3:30 until 4:30 p.m.

The public is invited to come and meet him and ask any questions they may have.

## Herrington SP To Host Hikes And Hayrides

Herrington Manor State Park will host hayrides and hikes on Saturdays this fall that will take participants along the Snaggy Mountain Trail of the Garrett State Forest. The sights along the way include a "watchable wildlife area" and a beaver pond. Participants can then take a hike to see the bicentennial oak.

The hayride/hike will be held on Saturday, Sept. 16, 10 a.m. to noon; Sept. 30, 2 to 4 p.m.; and Oct. 7, 10 a.m. to noon.

The hayride will depart from the Herrington Manor Office and take approximately two hours. The cost is \$5 per person, and the space is limited to 20 people. For further information, persons may call the

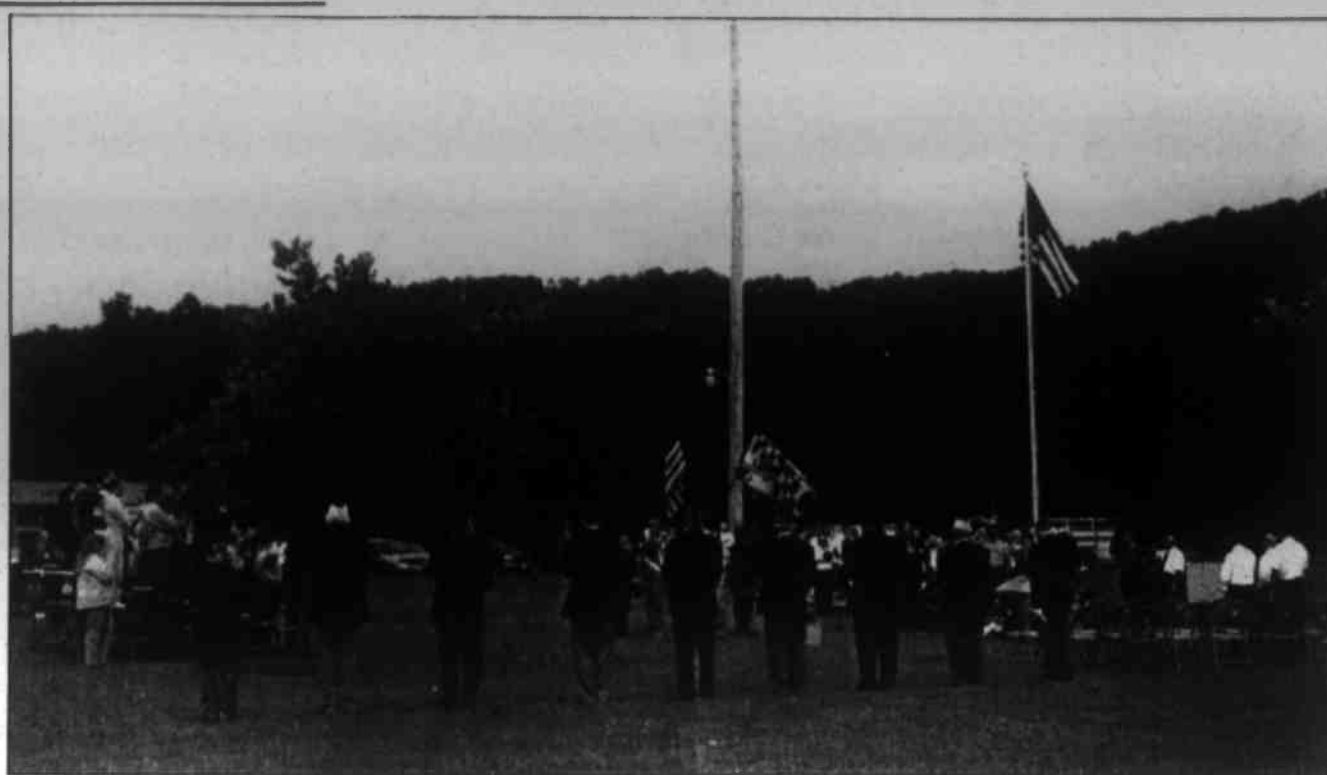
Herrington Manor office at 301-334-9180.

## Leads Sought In Arson, Destruction Of Property Case

Authorities are seeking information about an arson/destruction of property incident that occurred in a rural-wooded area approximately one mile from the end of Eagle Rock Road on Monday, Aug. 21, according to Crime Solvers of Garrett County.

The investigation revealed that two pieces of heavy equipment were damaged and burned, causing approximately \$45,000 in damages. The suspect(s) allegedly damaged the equipment between Aug. 17 and Aug. 21, police said. A backhoe and skid steer were parked in the wooded area, which is commonly traveled by four-wheelers and off-road vehicles from the Altamont-Kitzmiller Road and the Eagle Rock Road areas, police said. The damage is "considerable with the backhoe being totally destroyed," said a spokesperson.

The Garrett County Sheriff's Office and the State Fire Marshal's Office are conducting the investigation. Persons with information concerning this crime or any other crime in Garrett County are urged to contact Crime Solvers at 301-334-1975. A reward of up to \$1,000 is being offered for any information on this crime or any other crime in the Garrett County area.



**FRIENDSVILLE REMEMBERS 9/11** - Woodman of the World, Friendsville, held a ceremony in the community park on Monday to honor the heroes and victims of Sept. 11, 2001, not only those who lost their lives that day five years ago but those who are currently serving in the fight against terrorism. Numerous other WOW lodges throughout the United States held similar ceremonies on Monday. Honored guests at the Friendsville event included the Garrett County commissioners, law enforcement officers, members of the Northern Garrett County Rescue Squad, Friendsville area veterans, Northern High School Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps members, Friendsville mayor and town council, the families of active service men and women, the Friendsville Volunteer Fire Department, and the Garrett County Chamber of Commerce.

Del. George Edwards, below left, recognized the many people who have made sacrifices for the country's common good, such as military and fire/rescue personnel and the victims and their families of the 9/11 attacks. Featured speaker Cmd. Sgt. Maj. Ed Kelley, below right, spoke about the importance of remembering 9/11 and flying the American flag, especially on Sept. 11. Music was provided by the Accident Concert Band, Rev. and Mrs. Daymond Schmuck, the Kids from Blooming Rose, Sam Friend, and the Friendsville Community Choir. Julia Sinea, past jurisdictional president of WOW Lodge 45, read a poem, and members of VFW Post 10077 of Deer Park gave a 21-gun salute. Rev. Schmuck and Chaplain Ron Higginbottom led the invocation and benediction. Photos by John McEwen.

books, documents, and history).

With a new archives building in progress at Grantsville, a fundraising auction is scheduled for Saturday afternoon.

Also on Saturday, the Jacob Hochstetler Family Association will conduct a dedication ceremony at the Hochstetler House in Spruce Forest Artisan Village near Grantsville. The "little house" of John Hochstetler has been moved from its original site near Summit Mills, Pa., and has been reconstructed on this new site. The dedication ceremony is planned for 4 p.m. For more information, persons may contact Daniel E. Hochstetler at Jacob@Hochstetler.com.

The meeting is open to the public, and all interested persons are invited to attend.

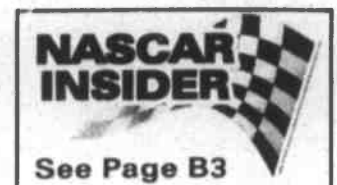
For more information or to offer items for the benefit auction, persons may contact Bernard and Alice Orndorff at 301-245-4326 or abcdorff@juno.com or write to the Casselman Historians, P.O. Box 599, Grantsville, 21536.

## Man Gets Nabbed For Sleeping In Back Seat Of Car

A woman getting gas for her car at Sheetz in Oakland noticed that a man was sleeping in the back seat of her car Sunday at 6 a.m., according to the Garrett County Sheriff's Office.

It was not clear when Harvey Bernard John, 54, Weston, W.Va., entered the victim's car. The police searched John and found an unidentified amount of a controlled dangerous substance, according to the police report.

The police said that John was charged with tampering with a motor vehicle and possession of a controlled dangerous substance (CDS). He was transported to Garrett County Detention Center and held on a \$1,500 bond.



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## Swanton School Reunion

Sept. 16 at 12:00 p.m.

Swanton Community Center Pavilion

All former students, teachers, employees and their families are invited to attend.

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The 2006 annual meeting of the Casselman Historians of Grantsville will be held on Friday and Saturday, Sept. 15 and 16, at the Maple Glen Mennonite Church.

The focus will be the "Effects of the Revolutionary War on the Amish, Mennonite, and Brethren Churches." This theme relates to the relationship of these Anabaptist groups with the American society, their doctrine regarding war and peace, and the effects of the war on migration patterns and on the Native Americans.

The Friday evening session will begin at 7 p.m. with a business meeting, followed by the topical program at 7:30.

Topics and speakers will include:

"Causes of the Revolutionary War," by Nathan Yoder, Harrisonburg, Va., professor in the history department of Eastern Mennonite Seminary;

"The War, Native Americans, and Christian Missions," by Karl Westmeier, Grantsville, former missionary to Latin America and former professor of missions and theology at the Alliance Theological Seminary in Nyack, N.Y.;

"Issues of Conscience for the Peace Churches," by David I. Miller, editor of *The Historian* and charter member of the Casselman Historians;

"Responses of the Churches," by Henry Erb, Baltic, Ohio, a regular contributor to *The Diary* (a monthly release of information and reports with wide

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## Owners Of Meadow Park Double Sales Tax; Expect Renters To Pay

The Garrett County commissioners in May enacted Resolution 2006-9, a Mobile Home Park Campground Tax Ordinance that has some Garrett residents asking questions.

Roberta Robertson, a senior citizen, received a letter from Norino Properties LLC, the owner and landlord of Meadow Park, a mobile home park in Accident, informing her, "Garrett County has imposed a new sales tax on your rent."

Robertson, a Grantsville resident, had signed a year's lease agreement with Norino Properties on July 24 to rent 205 Teaberry Lane for her granddaughter, Brooke Wilson, and Wilson's fiancé, Nicholas Farley, who were in the process of relocating to Garrett County from Boston.

James M. Parks, the property manager, said in his letter to Robertson, "The Board of Garrett County Commissioners passed resolution 2006-9 that requires us (Norino Properties) to collect a 15 percent sales tax from you, in addition to your monthly rent. This tax was imposed effective May 1, 2006, which means we were supposed to start collecting it along with your May, June, July, and August rent."

According to Robertson, she had terminated a previous lease that she had signed for her daughter, Jennifer Robertson, before resigning the new lease in July for her granddaughter.

Parks went on to say in the letter dated August 16, "The new law means that you must now pay us \$517.50 per month, \$450 for the rent and \$67.50 (per month) for this new tax."

This new amount of \$517.50 was due beginning in September, he wrote. He also stated in the letter that because the tax was imposed as of May 1, 2006, "We must collect from you \$270 in sales tax (for Robertson's previous lease) for the months of May, June, July, and August."

He ended the letter by stating that if the renters had any questions regarding this matter they could call the county commissioners' office.

"I was stunned by the letter," said Robertson. "I

was never made aware of this new tax when I was negotiating my new lease in July. I would never have signed the lease had I known of this new tax," she added.

As Robertson prepares to fight Norino Properties in court if necessary, she said that she had more questions than answers. "Why would the Garrett County commissioners institute such a tax? They must be aware that the owners of campgrounds and mobile home parks will pass this tax on to their renters, the people in Garrett County that can least afford it," she said.

On the other side, she wonders whether Norino Properties has the legal authority to impose such a tax after she already signed a new lease agreement.

"Is Norino Properties going to collect this new sales tax from everyone going back to May? What of people who left at the end of May? Or June? Or July? Will Norino Properties track them down and claim they are owed for a back sales tax? Are other people in Meadow Park also paying this tax?" she asked.

"I want to know why the county commissioners levied this new tax; what was their motive?" Robertson said. "It seems to me that this situation borders on the idea of taxation without representation, an idea most Americans should be familiar with," she added.

When Robertson approached the county commissioners' office, she was referred to Pat Kelly, supervisor of licensing and enforcement for the Garrett County Office of Planning and Development. Kelly stated that Resolution 2006-9 did not institute a "new" tax on mobile home parks; it affected campgrounds only.

In speaking with Kelly and reviewing the 1971 Automobile Trailer Camp Tax and the 2006 Mobile Home Park Campground Tax Ordinance, it became clear that a 15 percent sales tax had been previously established, as of June 1, 1971, on mobile homes and trailers. The county repealed this 1971 ordinance when it enacted, by resolution 2006-9, a tax consistent with the provisions of the



**DANGEROUS SCHEME** - Marcella Gregory found a 10-inch metal plate with four protruding three-inch spikes (pictured above) buried in a mud hole on a roadway into her 110-acre property at Gregory Lane, Oakland, at the top of Table Rock Road. Gregory learned that two of her adjacent neighbors also found a similar contraption on their properties. Gregory's grandson, Shawn Sisler, recently punctured two tires on his 1991 Dodge when he ran over the spikes. With bow and deer season approaching, Gregory is "worried sick" that someone might get hurt. Gregory has reported the incident to the police. Anyone with information regarding this incident is asked to call the Garrett County Sheriff's Office at 301-331-334-1910.

state code. This new tax imposed by Resolution 2006-9 was again a 15 percent sales tax, the same tax that had been repealed by the board of commissioners prior to the establishment of the new resolution. For owners of mobile homes and trailer park courts, the new sales tax was not added onto the old existing one, it was merely reaffirmed by 2006-9.

According to this understanding, owners and landlords of mobile home parks or trailer courts are not paying an additional 15 percent sales tax, they are collecting and paying the county the same 15 percent monthly tax they have collected since 1971. However, Norino Properties are, in effect, doubling the amount of the sales tax levied by the county, and charging the tenants the extra 15 percent.

Robertson said that she sent her attorney a letter in which she documented the actions of Norino Properties. In the letter, she also provided him with the information given to her by Kelly, so that he (the attorney) could determine what legal actions she might pursue in order to address this 15 percent sales tax issue.

## GC Health Dept. Confirms More Rabies Cases

Environmental Health Services of the Garrett County Health Department has announced the ninth and tenth cases of laboratory confirmed rabies for the county for 2006. Both cases occurred on Sept. 5, and involved dogs and raccoons.

The raccoons were sent to the Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene Laboratory in Baltimore last Wednesday and were confirmed to have the rabies virus on Thursday, Sept. 7.

The first case, located in the King Wildesen Road area off Gorman Road, occurred when a raccoon fought and was killed by a currently vaccinated dog. Upon receipt of the positive results, the dog received a rabies booster and will be closely watched for 45 days. There was no human exposure in this case, according to the Health Department.

The second case took place within the town limits of Deer Park and involved a dog, the raccoon, and a neighbor of the dog's owner. The neighbor observed the dog fighting with a raccoon and killed the raccoon. The dog, in this case, was not currently vaccinated against rabies and will be placed in double-secured strict isolation for six months.

"This is the only other option other than euthanasia when non-vaccinated animals are exposed to laboratory confirmed rabid animals," said a Health Department spokesperson. "When a pet is placed in the six-month quarantine, there are very stringent criteria that must be followed regarding the animal's confinement and care. The area must be doubly secure, and generally one person is designated to care for the pet. That person is highly encouraged to receive pre-

exposure rabies shots. In this case, since this dog appeared to have received a rabies shot in the past, it will be given a shot at the beginning of the quarantine to help boost the immune system. To assure its confinement and health, the dog will be checked periodically by personnel from Environmental Health Services."

This latest case reinforces the need for pet owners to check the vaccination status of their dogs, cats, and ferrets against rabies to make sure that it is current, added the spokesperson. The Health Department is sponsoring the last round of low cost rabies clinics for 2006. They will be held from Sept. 25 to Sept. 30. Clinics will be held at Grantsville, Swanton, Crellin, Friendsville, Kitzmiller, and Oakland. The cost per animal is \$5.

Maryland law requires all puppies, kittens, and ferrets 4 months of age and

older to be vaccinated against rabies. Pets can be vaccinated at 3 months of age. Pet owners not able to attend the Health Department sponsored clinics are urged to contact local veterinarians to obtain vaccinations for their pets.

Persons with questions about rabies are asked to call Environmental Health Services at 301-334-7760.

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## Men Sentenced In Circuit Court For Burglaries

A Salisbury, Pa., man was sentenced in Garrett County Circuit Court on Monday for a first-degree burglary charge. Judge Jim Sherbin sentenced David Henry Bender, 33, to three years in the Division of Corrections.

All but six months of that sentence was suspended, which Bender will serve in the Garrett County Jail. He will be on probation after his release, with conditions that include the payment of restitution.

Bender pleaded guilty to the crime in August, and Sherbin ordered a presentence investigation be completed before sentencing.

Bender was arrested and charged by officers with the Garrett Bureau of Investigation in February, who determined that he and others had entered a residence in the Lonaconing area of Garrett County between October and December 2005 and removed numerous items of personal property, including a wood stove, tools, and firearms. Much of the property was recovered from various persons in Pennsylvania, with

the assistance of the Pennsylvania State Police, noted State's Attorney Lisa Thayer Welch.

Five additional suspects have been charged in the crime, with four cases still pending.

One of those suspects, Bennie Enos Bender, 21, Meyersdale, Pa., pleaded guilty in Circuit Court on Tuesday to first-degree burglary. Sherbin sentenced him to three years at the Division of Corrections, with all but three months of that sentence suspended, which he will serve in the Garrett County Jail. Bennie Bender will be on probation after his release from jail, with conditions that include the payment of restitution.

In other Circuit Court news, Michael Creed Muenchow, 20, Oakland, was sentenced in four cases in which he had entered pleas of guilty in July. He received three concurrent six-month sentences for two charges of second-degree burglary and for one charge of felony theft.

For a first-degree burglary charge, he received a consecutive sentence of three years in the Division of Corrections, with all but six months of that sentence suspended. After his release from jail, Muenchow will

be on probation and be required to pay restitution.

Muenchow and three juveniles were charged by officers with the Garrett Bureau of Investigation for a series of burglaries and thefts that occurred at the Youghiogheny Mtn. Resort from October through December of last year. The three juveniles have all admitted their involvement in Juvenile Court, noted the state's attorney.

In an unrelated case, Douglas Jeffrey Patton, 44, Mtn. Lake Park, was sentenced by Sherbin in Circuit Court on Monday to one year in the Garrett County

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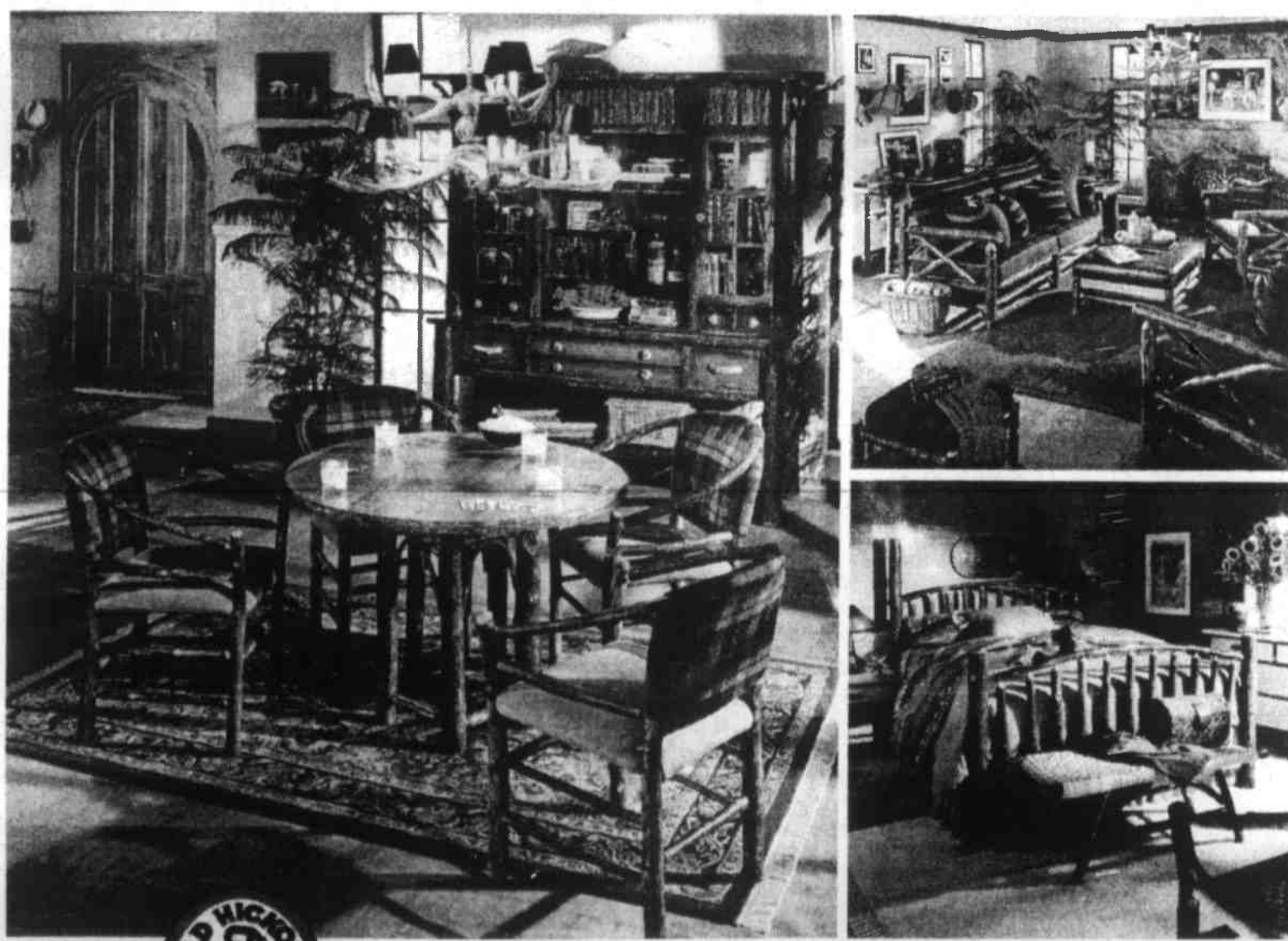
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**Sunday, Sept. 17**  
Memories of Mtn. Lake Park  
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Contact 301-334-4314.

**Tuesday, Sept. 19**  
A Sunrise Seminar  
Join Casey Wilson, Md. Small Business Dev. Center Network, for refreshments, tips & resources. 8 - 9:45 a.m. Chamber of Commerce Boardroom.  
Contact 301-616-3026.

**Wednesday, Sept. 20**  
Soft Wired  
Dinner & a GALS workshop on the psychological development of women. Cornish Manor, Oakland 7 p.m., reservations needed.  
Contact 301-387-7800.

What would you like to CROW about?  
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## A Pathetic Display...

Well, shame on us. A county voter turnout of 39% is somewhere in the pathetic range. Of registered Republican voters in the county, 44% voted in Tuesday's primaries, and of registered Democrats, 27% voted.

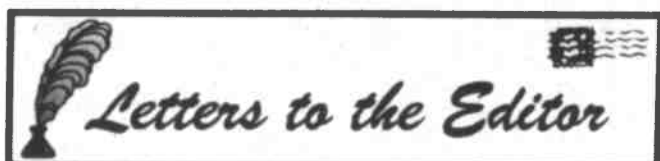
Tuesday's Republican balloting certainly shot a hole in the argument that "one vote doesn't count," as only seven — count 'em — seven votes separate two of the candidates for sheriff going into today's absentee vote count process. There is also only a handful of votes between the seventh- and eighth-place candidates for Republican Central Committee, with only the top seven elected.

In the case of Republican voters, one would think that, with so many of their candidates vying for several important offices, they would have come out in droves. As for the Democrats, it is a bit more understandable that their numbers were low, because their ballot had so many empty holes on it. So, shame on the Republicans for not showing up, and shame on the Democrats for failing to even have any candidates in several of the races. (They could muster only two candidates for several vacant seats on their own Democratic Central Committee.)

All of this brings up some other points to consider. Since there are no Democratic candidates for sheriff, nor for register of wills, nor clerk of court, plus several others, the end result is that probably somewhere around 25% of Garrett County's total number of registered voters (and all of them Republicans) are deciding who should fill these various posts. That's not only pathetic, it's downright scary.

With that being the case, we seriously question if some of the aforementioned offices should be elected, rather than hired, positions. Why do we elect a register of wills, a clerk of court, and, for that matter, a sheriff? We don't elect our health officer. We don't elect the head of our roads department, our superintendent of schools, our planning and zoning director, nor our director of economic development. What's the difference?

It seems that this may call for some legislation to make some changes in our system of filling offices. But in the meantime, we should never shirk our responsibility to vote. Let's hope that November's general election turnout will be much better than the pathetic display in this week's primaries.



To the Editor:

Instead of being "Citizens for Smart Growth," why don't those opposing the proposed 219 bypass change their group's name to "Citizens for No Growth," because they don't want to see any changes in the area? These people want the county to grow economically, but they don't want to see changes made, or anything "moving in." They're like people who want to grow vegetable gardens, but don't want to add fertilizer or water to help them grow. Many are not even full-time county residents. They have a condo at Deep Creek Lake (talk about "growth") or they left the area because there was no "growth."

As I stated in other letters, the bypass should've been built yesterday. Traffic congestion in Oakland is terrible. My mother, who lives in Keyser, W. Va., said that getting through Oakland is as bad as getting through Keyser. Why not add it to be voted on by full-time Garrett County residents in November?

The bypass will not separate Mtn. Lake Park and Oakland. That was done a long time ago. Each town is incorporated with a mayor and councilmen. As far as truck traffic, they make deliveries to the area. Next to the farmer, the truck driver plays an important role in the country. Route 135 is a county road and has a weight limit, doesn't it? Route 219 is a state road and a designated "snow emergency route" in the winter. What more can I say?

God forbid it should happen, but what would happen if people had to evacuate the area in a hurry? Those who oppose the bypass would probably try to

be the first in line to leave. Would they think then that a bypass is needed or not? They want their "cake and eat it too."

Bill Detrick  
Oakland

To the Editor:

This is a plea to the citizens of Avilton for action.

Once again, the Avilton Community Center's application for a block grant through Garrett County has been denied. We have been turned down twice before. We don't know why we continue to be unable to get funding.

In the meantime, the citizens of the community we have come together with fundraisers, donations, and sweat equity to bring the new community center to a reality for use by everyone in Avilton and the surrounding areas. The building is standing, and work on the interior has brought it to the point where it is now nearly ready to qualify for an occupancy permit.

The push to get the building ready for use will completely deplete the Association's remaining funds, and it will still be a bare-bones facility. Just the basics.

The community is planning a Fall Country Fest on the community center grounds on October 1 from 1 to 5 p.m. There will be great music, raffles, fun, and food — a pig pickin', a big batch of crab soup, beans, au gratin potatoes, and lots of other goodies. And as always at an Avilton event, there will be plenty of good, old-fashioned homemade desserts.

We need the citizens of Avilton and its neighbors to come and have a great time and to see the new building that we are so proud of. Donate if you can, enjoy the festivities if you choose, and bring along some ideas for



fundraising if you have them.

Also, Garrett County commissioners and candidates for that office, if you know of any funds just sitting around waiting for a worthwhile cause, well, we have been waiting for five years for a helping hand and sure could use one now.

Thanks,  
Corlana McCartney  
Avilton

To the Editor:

I am not a person who normally writes a letter to a newspaper for all to read; however, I feel I must write and express my outrage and disgust at the discovery of such horrid conditions at the puppy mills during the recent inspections by Bonnie Zimmerman, director of the GC animal shelter, and others from the Humane Society.

The article described unimaginable conditions in which adult dogs and puppies were found. These poor animals were forced to live in cramped, squalid quarters, some chained with only 4 feet of give. One little dog wasn't even recognizable as a dog at first. It turned out to be a schnauzer, so sick, or so abused the inspectors thought it was just a ball of fur, at first. The inspectors requested the dog be relinquished to them. The owner refused. I forced myself to read the entire article, even though it made me sick to think about it. It also made me furious to know some low-life was making money from the suffering of these poor dogs.

First of all, I think the people involved in running these puppy mills need to have their names published — to be publicly disgraced. Then shut them down! As with just about everything else in this world, you have to hit them in the wallet to get their attention. But, I realize the inspectors have a procedure they have to follow. And God bless them for this work they do — it certainly cannot be easy to see situations like that. The people who were found in violation need to be charged, fined, and made to do public service, cleaning stalls, and cages at animal shelters around the state.

And finally, I hope you people (I use the term loosely) who are involved in this crime are reading this! It takes a small person to abuse a helpless little animal. Not only will the team conducting inspections be watching you (and I hope they become your worst nightmare!), but God created those little animals (and not a sparrow falls, that He doesn't know about it), and He will repay. So even if you don't fear the county, fear God!

Elaine Bosko  
Baltimore

To the Editor:

Did you know that national studies reveal that as many as 74 percent of Americans say that addiction to alcohol has had some impact on them at some point in their lives, whether it was

their own personal addiction, that of a friend or family member, or any other experience with addiction?

Garrett County is not immune. Nearly 300 persons in our community received substance abuse treatment in 2005, and national estimates indicate that for every person in treatment, there are 10 more who need it. According to the 2004 National Survey on Drug Use and Health: National Findings, 21.6 percent of the people who felt they needed treatment, but did not receive it, indicated it was because of reasons related to stigma. In another survey, 40 percent of people in the recovery community said they thought embarrassment or shame was their biggest obstacle to receiving treatment.

We owe it to our neighbors and friends to support treatment and recovery as effective ways to confront substance-use disorders. Substance-use disorders are a disease that can be treated just as any other chronic illness. When stigma and discrimination decline, more people in recovery from alcohol and drug abuse will reach out for support and to offer assistance to others.

To promote the hopeful and healing message of recovery, the Garrett County Drug and Alcohol Council encourages your readers to observe the 17th annual National Alcohol and Drug Addiction Recovery Month (Recovery Month) by encouraging those friends and family members who are in recovery for an addiction and urging others to seek help. If you have an addiction, please realize that you are not alone. Every county in Maryland has trained and credentialed substance-abuse treatment programs.

The two programs in Garrett County are the Garrett County Center for Behavioral Health located in Oakland and Grantsville and Family Therapy Services located in McHenry.

The Garrett County Drug and Alcohol Council meets the second Wednesday of each month at noon in the conference room of the Garrett County Health Department. The public is welcome to attend.

Sincerely,  
Anna Bishop  
Chairperson

Editor's note: The writer of the following letter to Mark Filar and Herbert Sachs of the Md. Dept. of the Environment requested that it appear in this column.

## Senior Citizens' Menus

Community Action's Area Agency on Aging Senior Nutrition Program menus for the week of September 18-22 are as follows:

Monday — Tomato wedges, ham, steamed carrots, sweet & sour black-eyed peas, raisins, roll, milk.

Tuesday — Sunshine salad, vegetable soup, tuna salad on whole wheat bread, banana, milk.

Wednesday — Tomato juice, roast beef w/gravy, mashed potatoes, peas and onions, pineapple pear crisp, roll, milk.

Thursday — Broccoli salad, chicken stroganoff, buttered noodles, collard greens, cherry cobbler, whole wheat bread, milk.

Friday — Green leaf salad, Tex-Mex lentil soup, sloppy joe on bun, green beans, fruit cocktail, milk.

Coffee or tea served with all meals.

Reservations for meals are required. Meal reservations and cancellations are to be made at the nutrition site or senior center prior to the next service day. Reservations or cancellations may be made no later than 9 a.m. on the service day if absolutely necessary. Individuals who are able to give the full cost of the meal are encouraged to do so; however, all contributions are welcome. Days of congregate meals and telephone numbers of individual sites follow.

Grantsville Senior Center, Grantsville, Tu, W & Th, 301-895-5818; Kitzmiller Community Building, Kitzmiller, W, Th & F, 301-453-3445; Mary Browning Senior Center, Oakland, M, W & F, 301-334-0424; Mt. Lake Park Mill Restaurant, Gorman, Tu, Th & Sa, 301-334-4865; Swanton Community Building, Swanton, M & Tu, 301-387-9191; Friendsville Community Building, Friendsville, M, Tu & W, 301-746-5300.

Please note that home-delivered meal clients receive the same menus.

For more information about the Senior Nutrition Program, persons may call 301-334-9431, ext. 137.

## Posted Note

By Mary Sincell McEwen

### 2006, A FLORIDA ODYSSEY Part Seven

A confession: I'm getting old. So it's just a fact of life, I guess, that my memory has started to go. Along with a variety of other body parts.... Here we are on part seven — seven — of this voluminous series, and I have realized, with a little gasp, that I have messed up the chronology of our trip. I have never done that before — I usually remember everything to a tee, and amaze my husband, who claims not to remember anything, ever. But if anyone has been scrutinizing my series of days in this column, an error might be evident. Basically, I said we went to Animal Kingdom on Friday. We didn't. That was a lie. An inadvertent one, but a lie. I just finished with the Magic Kingdom last week, and we have Epcot to go, and then, I wondered, what the heck did we do on Monday, our last day? Holy cow. That was Animal Kingdom! I'm losing my grip, I tell ya. But you know what that means? We're on the last day of the trip, basically! So we're almost finished! "And there was great rejoicing..."

So it was Sunday, and we were off to Epcot. I think (I just don't trust my memory anymore.) Epcot has the unfortunate reputation of being the most boring of all the Disney parks. I have to disagree. There are things at Epcot that are no less amazing and "wowing" (is that an adjective?) than any attraction in the whole complex. However, I do admit that the place is stretched out a bit. It is indeed difficult to plod from one end to the other, especially when one decides to go to this park after almost a whole week of plodding. In other words, we were weary before we even hit the gate on this day. Five nights so far in a hotel room, with one of the kids' beds being the size of a crib and none of us really going to sleep at a reasonable hour on any night — all of it results in five slightly crabby, sore, and less easily impressed people. But you know, when you're there and you've paid for the park hopper tickets, by golly, you have to jump into it! So we did.

We parked at Epcot, and got there so early that we were in one of the first lots available. So this time, unlike the rest of the trip, Alex did not feel the need to rehearse our lot name. Previously, each day, we were serenaded for a good 15 minutes by him as we walked toward whatever park. "Spider Man, 55-57; Spider Man, 55-57," Alex chanted over and over. At the Magic Kingdom, it was "Peter Pan, 22-25; Peter Pan, 22-25." His brothers shouted for him to shut up, and I shouted at them not to say "shut up." But Alex chanted on with determination, scowling at his brothers. They held their ears, fussed, and attempted to hit him. Finally he stopped. But who did we ask at the end of each day where our car was? All that chanting paid off every time. Alex can still tell you where we parked, and I still remember, too, thanks to all his hard work. Everyone has a gift, I guess...

Perhaps people think Epcot is dull because it's all about learning. Oh, horrors! Learning! But it's not boring, and it is educational — fun and education can indeed co-exist, and who can do that better than Disney? So we traveled through the fascinating Spaceship Earth (i.e., the big old golf ball), watched the hilarious Ellen DeGeneres and Bill Nye the Science Guy take us through the journey of dinosaurs, and went on an absolutely amazing spaceship ride to Mars. That was something else! It was very much like being in the space shuttle when it takes off. There are even barf bags available! Cool! One woman in front of us, after standing in line for at least 35 minutes, opted out at the last second, falling victim to the ever-increasingly intense warning signs: "If you are claustrophobic, don't do this ride! For heaven's sake, are you nuts? GET OUT OF THE LINE!" The boys, who are all a bit impatient by nature, were astonished that after all that waiting, she actually would get out of line. Unbelievable to them. I admit I hesitated, but then sucked it up and went. The ride was a little close, but it was great fun, too, and I'm glad I did it.

But one of the most amazing, most satisfying, most whatever-other-superlative-you-can-think-of attractions was the newest one, called "Soarin'." This is a hang-gliding ride, minus the actual hang-gliding. You are seated on a long bench and buckled in like a kid in a car seat. Then the floor leaves your feet, and the place lights up with the most breathtaking, 360-degree sights — you truly have the sensation of flying. Honestly, I almost got tears in my eyes — it was so uplifting, both physically and emotionally, to see the United States at such an angle. I just loved it, and so did the boys and John. Way to go, Epcot!

We saw the hydroponics gardens and learned how if we keep trashing the planet, we won't have it anymore; and we walked around the Living Seas aquarium, oohing and aahing at the turtles, sharks, manta rays, and other swimming things. We got miniaturized in the 3-D "Honey, I Shrank the Audience," too. The boys bought some souvenirs here, and I wanted to, too, but I just couldn't find anything that fit my criteria — commemorative of our trip, but useful, too. No dust catchers for me, thanks. A T-shirt is usually my choice, but I just couldn't find one that spoke to me.

This time we did not make the circular (and exhausting) trek around the World Showcase. A bit of a disappointment, but cheese, you just can't do everything! And we were a dragging bunch, let me tell you. But we didn't go back to our hotel without taking one more jump into the Magic Kingdom, one more look at my favorite place. We didn't do much, and I searched for a souvenir. John got a shirt, and the boys picked up a few other little things. Me, bupkiss.

At last, worn out and half asleep, we headed back to our room and our welcoming beds. I noticed something on our way, though — a church. Its name? "Mary, Queen of the Universe." Oh, man! Now that's where I wanted to shop for a T-shirt!

Next week: I shall at last conclude... Home again, home again, jiggy jig!

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Al-Anon Family Group meets at 125 Liberty Club, Oakland (use side entrance), every Monday at 8 p.m.

Narcotics Anonymous (NA) meets every Wednesday at 8 p.m. at the 125 Liberty Club along Liberty St., Oakland, 301-334-1298.

MISCELLANEOUS There will be a 6-week family scrapbooking class offered at the Swanton Community Center beginning Thursday, Sept. 21 from 6 to 9 p.m. The cost is \$15 per class. For more in-

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A free dance party will be held Friday, Sept. 15, at the Bloomington fire hall from 7 until 10 p.m. Hosted by In Touch and Kids 4 Jesus, the event will feature free food, prizes, and contemporary Christian music for ages 7 to 14.

The Canaan Valley Woman's Club of Davis, W. Va., will hold its 10th annual craft show on Saturday, Sept. 23, at the Canaan Valley fire hall from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. The hall is located along Rt. 32 seven miles south of Davis.

Garrett County Community Action Committee Inc. will host Asset Builders workshops to prepare students for life after high school. These workshops are free of charge. They will be held from 6 until 7 p.m. at the Mary Browning Center in Oakland on Wednesday, Oct. 4; Wednesday, Oct. 11, and Wednesday, Oct. 18. For more information persons may call Cindy Lynch at 301-334-9431, ext. 108, by Oct. 2 for reservations.

The Knights of Columbus will hold their annual Pit Beef and Shrimp Bash on Saturday, Sept. 16 from 6 until 10 p.m. in St. Peter the Apostle Church social hall, Oakland. The event is only for adult patrons. Tickets are \$20 per person, and are available by calling Bill Heise at 301-334-4781 or 240-321-0876. Only 200 tickets will be sold.

A softball tournament to benefit multiple sclerosis funding will be held Sept. 16-17 at Terra Alta Park. For team entry, persons may call Mike Fazenbaker at 304-789-6682.

### CHURCH

Maple Spring Church of the Brethren, Egdon, W. Va., will hold a buckwheat cake and sausage dinner on Saturday, Sept. 23, from 4 until 8 p.m. The cost is \$6 for adults, \$4 for ages 5 to 10, and free for those under 5.

The Friendsville United Methodist Church, Water St., Friendsville, will have a homemade vegetable soup and hot rolls dinner Sept. 15, from 4 to 7 p.m. Carry-outs and quarts available.

### REUNIONS

Plans are being made for the 6th Swanton School reunion, set for Saturday, Sept. 16, at the Swanton Community Center, the former Swinton School. A covered dish meal is planned for noon at the pavilion. All former students, teachers, employees, and their families are invited. Persons with questions or ideas may call Amelia Wolf at 301-334-3077 or Audrey Friend at 301-387-9523.





## Deer Park Man Arrested, Violates Protective Order

A Deer Park man was arrested Wednesday afternoon after police responded to a residence on Seiding Street in Deer Park for a violation of a protective order complaint, according to Garrett County sheriff's deputies.

Police determined that William Thomas Sachs Jr., 46, had violated an active protective order to refrain from threatening, contacting, or entering the property of his neighbor and sibling, August Knapp. While police were investigating, Sachs continued to yell profanities at Knapp, causing a disturbance, police said.

Sachs was charged with violation of a protective order, disturbing the peace, and disorderly conduct. Police said alcohol was a factor in this incident.

Sachs is currently incarcerated in the Garrett County Detention Center awaiting a bond hearing.

In a separate incident, Charles Arthur Pursley, 33, Grantsville, was charged with drunk driving after a traffic stop was made on Bittinger Road near 4-H Camp Road Wednesday night.

The deputy reported that he was required to swerve right to avoid a collision with Pursley's vehicle, which was traveling north without its headlights on while partially in the southbound lane during

extremely foggy conditions. He failed numerous field sobriety tests, and it was determined that his license had been suspended in Maryland.

Pursley was charged with driving under the influence, driving on a suspended license, and driving on a revoked license.

## Man Charged With Assault, Animal Cruelty

An 18-year-old Oakland resident was charged with assault after police responded to a residence on Snowy Creek Road for a domestic disturbance complaint on Sunday night, according to Garrett County sheriff's deputies.

Police said Jonathan Michael Stem was intoxicated and allegedly assaulted his stepmother and a female sibling, causing minor injuries. Police said they also discovered that Stem had physically assaulted a family pet. He was arrested and charged with two counts of second-degree assault, one count of alcoholic beverage intoxication endangerment, and one count of animal cruelty.

In other police news, Jimmy Lee Keiper, 19, Oakland, was charged with driving under the influence of alcohol Saturday night.

His vehicle was stopped on Rt. 135 near the intersection with Rt. 219 for an equipment violation, police said. After failing field sobriety tests Keiper was arrested.

## Swan Meadow To Host Annual Harvest Sale

The Swan Meadow School PTO's annual fundraiser, the Harvest Sale, will be held on Friday, Sept. 22, at the Pleasant Valley Community Center, located south of Oakland.

This is an annual auction of farm produce, handmade items, and baked goods provided by Amish and Mennonite families and students of the Swan Meadow School. This is the 57th year of the Harvest Sale.

Doughnuts made by mothers of the students on the day of the sale will be available for purchase by 5:30 p.m. Also for sale by that time will be homemade caramels, taffy, cookies, fudge, and gallons of apple cider.

Doughnuts, cinnamon rolls, and gallons of apple cider will be sold at a tent located close to the front door of the Pleasant Valley Community Center, so that people who come to the Harvest Sale for homemade goods will have the option of purchasing them outside the community center, and then taking them to their vehicles before going inside for dinner and the auction.

Dinner items such as taco salads, nachos, chili dogs, sloppy joes, hot dogs, coffee, and apple cider will also be sold at that time.

The evening will begin with the 6th, 7th, and 8th graders of Swan Meadow School singing songs at 6:45 p.m. The auction will begin at 7 p.m.

Some special items to be auctioned include birdhouse gourds planted and raised by the students and painted under the supervision of art teacher Ronnie DiGioia, a cold frame constructed by the 8th grade woodworking students, and a small cedar chest and a wormy oak table with bookshelf. Two knotted fleece blankets made by the 3rd through 5th graders to benefit the Make-a-Wish Foundation will also be auctioned.

The Swan Meadow School History Book will also be sold.

To reach the Pleasant

Valley Community Center, persons should travel on Route 219 South and turn onto Paul Friend Road; turn right onto Joni Miller Road; and continue to the Pleasant Valley Community Center located on the right.

## Screening Prg. Helps Detect Cancer Early

The Breast and Cervical Cancer Screening Program (BCCP) at the Garrett County Health Department has helped detect and treat cancer and pre-cancer in 31 Garrett County women since 2001, said a spokesperson. Each year the program has helped an average of 400 women receive their annual breast and cervical cancer screening services at no cost to them. That's a total of about 5,600 screening opportunities for the women of Garrett County since its beginning in 1992.

"I probably owe my life to this program," said Madonna Pool, a breast cancer survivor. "This program helped me follow up after a cancer diagnosis. I urge everyone to go for their doctor-recommended screening — one time a year for cancer screening is a minimum. It is imperative to both the quality and quantity of life. Don't wait — make the date. Never put off cancer screening because you may not get the chance later."

"The success of the cancer screening programs here in Garrett County is due to the great cooperation with almost all primary care physicians, surgeons, physician's assistants, nurse practitioners, and radiology departments located throughout the county and even into Allegany County, Pennsylvania, and West Virginia," said Dr. William Pope, Garrett County deputy health officer.

The program assists Garrett County women ages 40-64 with no insurance, or with insurance that does not cover the screening tests, and whose income meets specific guidelines. BCCP pays for each woman to see her primary care provider for a clinical breast exam and Pap test if indicated. After seeing the physician, the woman has her mammogram. If further testing is needed, such as breast ultrasound, fine needle aspiration, biopsy, or colposcopy, she is enrolled in the Maryland Diagnosis and Treatment Program for these services. Once a woman is enrolled in the program, she receives a follow-up call every year from the GCHD BCCP staff.

The annual screening is a way to detect cancer at its earliest stages when it is most curable. According to a recent study, almost all deaths from cervical cancer and up to 38% of deaths from breast cancer in women are preventable through annual screening for early detection followed by treatment. In most cases, the earlier breast cancer is detected and treated, the better the survival rate. Statistics show that when breast cancer is diagnosed at a local (very early) stage, the 5-year survival rate is 98%, but when breast cancer is diagnosed after it has spread, the 5-year survival rate decreases to 26%.

The Breast and Cervical Cancer Screening Program is funded through grants from the National Breast and Cervical Cancer Early Detection Program administered by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

"It is important that funding continue for this vital program in Garrett County," said Sharon Rounds, RN, Garrett County Health Department BCCP coordinator. "Federal funding is imperative to keep this program going."

In an attempt to increase funding for research and treatment, nearly a dozen

American Cancer Society "Celebration Ambassadors" will gather in Washington, D.C., on Sept. 19 and 20 for Celebration on the Hill 2006. Three local community members, Terry Riley, Doug Riley, and Debbie Workman, will represent

Garrett County as ambassadors at this event and will ask lawmakers to reauthorize and expand the National Breast and Cervical Cancer Early Detection Program.

For more information, persons may call the Garrett County Health Department at 301-334-7770 or 301-895-3111 and ask for the Cancer Screening Program. Program staff includes Rounds; Judy Sines, RN, CPEST coordinator; and Robyn Bowman, clerical support for the Cancer Screening Program.

## Magazines Now Accepted At Three Recycling Sites

The Garrett County Solid Waste and Recycling Division, General Services Department, has announced the addition of magazine recycling to a third refuse and recycling site in Garrett County. Magazine recycling can now be done at the Grantsville site in addition to the Bumble Bee and Weber's sites.

"Offering the collection at a third site makes recycling magazines and shiny papers easier and more convenient," said Kim Madigan, recycling coordinator.

Magazines, catalogs, guides, obsolete brochures, or paper with a high-gloss or shiny appearance may be brought to a container at the sites for recycling.

"Please deposit the materials directly into the container, no bags or cardboard boxes," Madigan said.

She encourages residents and businesses to participate in the magazine recycling program. All of the materials collected will be recycled at Pen-Mar Recycling Center in Cumberland.

The permanent magazine recycling program began in February 2006 at the Bumble Bee site. The program netted 11.38 tons, or 22,760 pounds, of magazines on its first delivery to Pen-Mar Recycling Center, according to Madigan.

For more information about recycling issues, persons may call 301-387-0322.

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## Man Charged With Assault At Health Dept.

Police arrested Joseph Paul Paulinski after he allegedly struck his wife while in the Garrett County Health Department building Monday morning, according to Garrett County sheriff's deputies.

He was arrested and charged with second-degree assault and disturbing the peace. Paulinski is currently being held at the Garrett County Detention Center awaiting a bond hearing.

## Men Sentenced

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Jail for possession of cocaine and providing a false name to police. Ten months of the sentence was suspended. Patton was also fined \$300 and will be on probation after he is released from jail.

He had pleaded guilty to these charges in August, and a presentence investigation report was ordered.

Patton was arrested in January 2005 by officers of the Garrett County Narcotics Task Force who stopped the vehicle Patton was driving for traffic violations.

The car was searched after a certified drug-detection dog gave a positive alert, and officers found drug paraphernalia with cocaine in the car, according to the state's attorney.

During the stop, Patton also provided officers with a false name.

In other Circuit Court news this week, Adam Bruce Johnson, 21, Garrett, Pa., pleaded guilty to motor vehicle theft. The judge sentenced him to three years in the Division of Corrections, with two years suspended. After his release from jail, Johnson will be on probation.

He and a co-defendant were arrested in March by officers with the Garrett Bureau of Investigation who determined the pair had entered a lake-area marina and stolen two motorcycles.

The motorcycles were recovered the next day in Somerset County, Pa. Officers with the Maryland State Police handled the initial investigation of this case, noted the state's attorney.

The co-defendant, Andrew Paul Durst, previously pleaded guilty to motor vehicle theft in District Court and was sentenced to a Garrett County Jail term.

In an unrelated case, charges of burglary and theft against Albert Donald Kirkendall Jr., Accident, were placed on the set (inactive) docket in Circuit Court on Tuesday. A condition of that disposition requires Kirkendall not to reside with his co-defendant.

Kirkendall and his co-defendant, Albert Donald Kirkendall Sr., were arrested and charged in January by Garrett Bureau of Investigation officers who responded to a reported burglary in the Accident area. With a description of the truck involved, the officers and Maryland State Police troopers located the Kirkendalls at their residence, where Albert Kirkendall Jr. acknowledged the theft and turned over stolen property to officers.

In making this disposition, the state's attorney explained that "Kirkendall (Jr.) would not have been

involved in this kind of activity if he was not being influenced by his co-defendant."

In other court news, Todd Allen Tasker, 25, Swanton, pleaded guilty to a third-degree sexual offense. The judge sentenced him to two years in the Division of Corrections, with one year suspended. Tasker will serve the remaining one year in the Garrett County Jail and then be on probation after his release. He will also have to register as a child sexual offender.

Tasker was arrested and charged in April after Garrett Bureau of Investigation officers learned he had inappropriate contact with a 15-year-old in December of last year.

In an unrelated case, Wayne Allen Moyer III, 19, Swanton, pleaded guilty to second-degree rape. Sherbin sentenced him to two years in the Division of Corrections, with 18 months suspended. Moyer will be on probation after he is released from the Garrett County Jail. He will have to register as a child sexual offender.

Moyer was arrested and charged in April after Garrett Bureau of Investigation officers learned he had inappropriate contact with a 12-year-old in October of last year, according to the state's attorney.

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**DAMIANO, Donald R.**, 81, Fort Myers Beach, Fla., formerly of Greensburg, Pa. **DORDAL, Iris D.**, 38, Hendersonville, Tenn., formerly of Friendsville.

**EVANS, Mary V.**, 83, Horse Shoe Run, W. Va. **FRATZ, Abigail M.**, infant, Accident.

**MYERS, Myrtle M.**, 69, Oakland.

**PRITT, Billy E.**, 64, Oakland.

**SCHAUMBURG, Judith S.**, 54, Towson, formerly of Garrett County.

**SEEDERS, Donna L.**, 58, Deer Park.

**TRESSLER, James A.**, 80, Sulphur, La.

**UPHOLD, Marlin L.**, 66, Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., formerly of Friendsville.

**DONNA L. SEEDERS**

Donna Leigh Seeders, 58, Deer Park, died Saturday, Sept. 9, 2006, at her home.

Born March 26, 1948, in Oakland, she was a devoted daughter of Elmer "Bill" and Helen (Patterson) Crone of Mtn. Lake Park.

She was preceded in death by one brother, James Crone, Hagerstown; and one sister, Karen Crone, Mtn. Lake Park.

Donna was the owner of Frontier Custom Framing in Deer Park. She was a devout member of the Seventh-Day Adventist Church, where she held various offices.

Surviving, in addition to her parents, are husband Jimmie L. Seeders; two sons, Richard and his wife Serena of Loch Lynn, and Bill and his wife Cheryl of Terra Alta, W. Va.; one daughter, Glenda; and one brother, Robert Crone of Hazard, Ky.; and six grandchildren, Shawn, Steven, Nichole, Ricky, Samuel, and Kaylee.

Friends were received at the Burdock-Durst Funeral Home, Oakland, where a service was held Tuesday, Sept. 12, with the Rev. Geoff Starr and Rev. John Rodeheaver officiating.

At Mrs. Seeders' request, her body was cremated, and a private inurnment will be held at a later date.

(Paid Obituary)

**MYRTLE M. MYERS**  
Myrtle M. Myers, 69, Oakland, died Thursday, Aug. 31, 2006, at the Oakland Nursing and Rehab Center, Oakland.

Born May 28, 1937, in Andalusia, Ala., she was a daughter of the late John Sr. and Altha (Norris) Norsworthy. She was also preceded in death by one sister, Lola Lawhorn.

She was a member of the Crellin Assembly of God Church, Oakland. She was employed as a greeter at the Oakland Wal-Mart.

She is survived by her husband, Ronald O. Meyers, Oakland; two daughters, Tracy R. Gouran, Melvindale, Mich., and Luann M. Davis, Cumberland; three sons, Allan Frye, Missouri, John W. Frye, Detroit, Mich., and Ronald K. Myers, St. Clair Shores, Mich.; one brother, John C. Norsworthy Jr., Alabama; 11 grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Friends were received at the Stewart Funeral Home, Oakland, where a service was held on Monday, Sept. 4, with the Rev. Bruce Craig officiating.

Interment was in the Rose Hill Cemetery, Thomas, W. Va.

The family requests that memorials take the form of contributions to Hospice of Garrett County, P.O. Box 271, Oakland, MD 21550.

(The above obituary was reprinted because incorrect information had been received.)



**BILLY E. PRITT**

Billy E. Pritt, 64, Oakland, died Monday, Sept. 11, 2006, at Ruby Memorial Hospital in Morgantown, W. Va.

Born July 27, 1942, in Burnsville, W. Va., he was a son of Virgil "Buck" and Elsie L. (Blake) Pritt of Burnsville, W. Va.

He worked many years in the coal mines, from hand loading to superintendent.

Surviving is his soul mate of 44 years, Betty (Mallett) Pritt; daughter Jane and husband Harv Glotfelty, and son Michael E. Pritt and wife Stefanie, all of Oakland. He was adored by six grandchildren, Mika, Shane, Keisha, Keithan, Brandon, and Dakota. Also surviving are five brothers, Paul, Everett, Jim, and Dennis Pritt, all of Burnsville, and Don Pritt of Ohio; and two sisters, Mary Wine of Copen, W. Va., and Carol Sumpter of Alabama.

Friends were received at the Burdock-Durst Funeral Home, Oakland, where a service was held today, Thursday, Sept. 14, with the Rev. Mel Minker and the Rev. Dr. T. Patrick Kerr officiating.

Interment will follow in K of P Cemetery in Burnsville.

In lieu of flowers, expressions of sympathy may be made in the form of memorial donations to the Appalachian Bee Keeper Association, 1916 Maryland Hwy. Suite A, Mtn. Lake Park, MD 21550.

(Paid Obituary)

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**JAMES A. TRESSLER**

James A. "Mr. T" Tressler, 80, Sulphur, La., died Saturday, Aug. 26, 2006, in the Southwest Veterans Home in Jennings.

Born Sept. 5, 1925, in Cumberland, he was a native of Garrett County, and was the son of the late Sherman P. and Anna (Opel) Tressler. He was also preceded in death by one sister, Mary Fern Staggs; and one brother, Parke B. Tressler.

He was a retired U.S. Army veteran, having served in World War II, the Korean War, and Vietnam, and received both the Purple Heart and Bronze Star. He was a member of the American Legion Post #179 in Sulphur and the AARP. He worked with the Calcasieu Sheriff's Department for 15 years. He was also a member of the Houston River Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife of 40 years, Iris Tressler of Sulphur; three sons, Robert James Tressler of Moss Beach, Calif., and Richard and Jerry Schadler, both of Sulphur; two brothers, Paul Tressler and Charles Tressler, both of Loch Lynn; three sisters, Leora Beitzel of Germantown, Dorothy Beitzel of Oakland, and Shirley Beitzel of Akron, Ohio; four grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

Friends were received at the Hixson-Sulphur Memorial Funeral Home, where a service was held Tuesday, Aug. 29, with the Rev. Lonnie Gothrup officiating.

Interment was in the Big Woods Cemetery, where full military honors were accorded.

**MARY V. EVANS**  
Mary Virginia (McCue) Evans, 83, Horse Shoe Run, W. Va., died Sunday, Sept. 10, 2006, at Garrett County Memorial Hospital, Oakland.

Born June 15, 1923, in Thomas, W. Va., she was a daughter of the late Elizabeth (Lantz) McCue Campbell and Carl McCue. She was also preceded in death by her maternal grandparents, Price and Nettie Lantz; one brother, Ivan McCue; and one sister, Holly McCue.

Mrs. Evans graduated from Parsons High School in 1941, and spent most of her married life working along side her husband in the family business in Horse Shoe Run.

Surviving are her loving husband of 64 years, Orville (Stub) Evans; one son, Terry Evans and wife Kay, Horse Shoe Run; three daughters, Gloria Waybright and husband Lee, Horse Shoe Run, Carolyn Baumgardner and husband Robert Sypolt, Kingwood, W. Va., and Athena Wilson and husband Timothy, Keyser, W. Va.; and one sister-in-law, Donna Vance, Kalamazoo, Mich. She was adored by her seven grandchildren, David Waybright and wife Lauretta, Marcia Waybright, Scott Evans and wife Melinda, Michael Evans and wife Rita, Christopher Taylor, Nicholas Taylor, and Evan Baumgardner; and two step-granddaughters, Alisha Wilkes and Sarah Wolfe. She is also survived by four great-grandchildren, Kenneth Clingenpeel, Micheal Clingenpeel, Kaitlin Waybright, and Molly Baumgardner; four step-great-grandchildren, Jordan, Morgan, and Rachael Suit, and Carson Wolfe; and several nieces and nephews.

She will be deeply missed by all.

Friends were received at the Hinkle Funeral Home, Davis, W. Va.

A service was held at St. John's Lutheran Church, Red House, on Tuesday, Sept. 12, with the Rev. Marjorie E. Lauver officiating.

Interment was in the Texas Cemetery, Horse Shoe Run.

(Paid Obituary)

**IRIS D. DORDAL**  
Iris Devita Dordal, 38, Hendersonville, Tenn., formerly of Friendsville, died Tuesday, Sept. 5, 2006.

She was born Sept. 22, 1967. She went home to be with her Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

(Paid Obituary)

**JUDITH S. SCHAUMBURG**

Judith Susan (Sherwood) Schaumburg, 54, Towson, formerly of Garrett County, died Wednesday, Sept. 13, 2006.

Born July 9, 1952, in West Virginia, she was a daughter of Dr. Lawrence Sherwood Jr. and Hazel Sherwood, Oakland.

She is also survived by one son, Timothy Schaumburg; one daughter, Jennifer Schaumburg; three sisters, Rebecca Bertz, Martha Ogibene, and Mary Drebelbis; and one brother, John Sherwood.

Friends will be received at the E.F. Lassahn Funeral Home, Kingsville, on Saturday, Sept. 16, and Sunday, Sept. 17, from 3 to 5 and 7 to 9 p.m.

A service will be held on Monday at 10 a.m.

Interment will be in the Cedar Hill Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society.

**ABIGAIL M. FRATZ**  
Abigail Marie Fratz, infant daughter of Shawn C. and Angela M. (Lapp) Fratz, Accident, died at birth Wednesday, Sept. 6, 2006, at Ruby Memorial Hospital, Morgantown, W. Va.

She was preceded in death by her paternal grandfather, Donald Fratz; her maternal grandfather, Ralph Lapp; and her step-grandfather, Larry Glass.

In addition to her parents, she is also survived by three brothers, Logan, Brady, and Ethan Fratz, at home; her maternal grandmother, Donna Umbel, and step-grandfather, William Umbel, Accident; and her paternal grandmother, Anna Mary Fratz, McHenry.

A private funeral service was held on Saturday, Sept. 9, at Zion Lutheran Church, Accident, with the Rev. Keith Clow officiating.

Interment was in the Zion Cemetery.

The Newman Funeral Home, Grantsville, was in charge of arrangements.

**MARLIN L. UPHOLD**

Marlin L. Uphold, 66, Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., formerly of Friendsville, died Tuesday, May 16, 2006, at the North Broward County Medical Center in Ft. Lauderdale.

Born May 8, 1940, in Friendsville, he was the son of the late Floyd Dayton

and Lena Mae (Vansickle) Uphold.

Mr. Uphold was an Army veteran of Vietnam. He was a member of the American Legion Post 222 and the Eagles Club of Oakland Park, Fla., and Color Guard Post 222 for 23 years.

Surviving are his wife, Lillian; two daughters, DeLane Eichmiller, Mt. Olive, Ill., and Jennifer Marshall, Palm Harbor, Fla.; three sisters, Barbara Fulgenzi and Nancy Male, both of Jacksonville, Fla., and Virginia Kitzmiller, Mtn. Lake Park; five grandchildren, Jessica, Kimberly, Matthew, Tiffany, and Christina; one great-grandson, Jeordie; and several nieces.

A memorial service was held June 11 at the American Legion Post 222 in Oakland Park, with a service conducted by the Fraternal Order of Eagles and the American Legion.

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## "Kidz Krusade" Scheduled At Cherry Grove

"Camp Moosefeather Falls Kidz Krusade" will be held at Cherry Grove Church of the Brethren from Tuesday, Sept. 19, to Friday, Sept. 22, from 6 to 8 p.m. nightly.

The event will feature the Operation Hope puppet production team, snacks, crafts, puppets, and games.

The church is located at 3992 Chestnut Ridge Road, Grantsville. For more information, persons may call 301-895-5003.

## Back To School Night Slated At Little Meadows

A Back to School Night will be held for children in kindergarten through grade 12 at Little Meadows Camp Ground, Grantsville, on Friday, Sept. 15, from 6 to 8 p.m.

The event will include an asset walk, hot chocolate, a hot dog roast, s'mores, and prizes.

The evening is sponsored by the Garrett County Health Department and the Grantsville Involvement Group. For more information, persons may call Sharon Menges at 301-895-3111, ext. 6528.

A rain date has been set for Friday, Sept. 22.

## Speech Therapist To Hold Program At Garrett College

Amy Yutzy, speech therapist with the Garrett County Board of Education, will discuss ways to promote communication in



**TEAL STEEL DELIGHTS AT LOCH LYNN** - The steel drum corps from Frankfort High School, called Teal Steel, took part in the Loch Lynn Heights Picnic in the Park recently, entertaining a large crowd of spectators. The group was one of several musical ensembles to provide entertainment during the two-day event. Other groups taking part were JC and the Boys, Karen and Matthew Bright, and Hammers and Strings. A highlight of the weekend was the dedication of the town's athletic fields in memory of Charlie Grubb. A large crowd of girls' softball players and alumni, coaches, the county commissioners, and many friends of Grubb took part in the ceremony, which was opened by the Deer Park VFW Post. The VFW donated

and raised a new flag in memory of Grubb, who for more than 20 years worked with the youth of Garrett County, mainly through girls' softball, but also in other venues. Those offering words in honor were Loch Lynn mayor Larry Friend, softball president Larry Tichnell, Commissioner Ernie Gregg, Mtn. Lake Park mayor Leo Martin, Emily Friend, and Rob Michael, pictured below. Throughout his speech, Michael "switched hats" to show the many roles Charlie played in Garrett County, including his popular portrayal of Santa Claus. A stone marker commemorating Grubb was installed at the base of the new flagpole. Photos courtesy of Carolyn Corley.



## Woman Charged For Driving On Expired License

Brandy Nicole Fike, 22, Grantsville, was charged with driving on a suspended and an expired license after she was pulled over at North Fourth Street near the County Roads Department by the Oakland Police for speeding Tuesday at 6:45 p.m., according to a police report.

Fike was charged and transported to the Garrett County Detention Center and held on a \$1,000 bond, according to police.

## Annual Awards Banquet Slated By Lodge 41

The Woodmen of the World Lodge 41, Grantsville, will hold its annual awards banquet on Saturday, Sept. 23, at 6:30 p.m. at the Grantsville fire hall.

Persons planning to attend should contact Lillian Guthrie, secretary, at 301-689-9173 by Sept. 16.

The evening will include food, entertainment, and door prizes.

The regular meeting was held on Sept. 11, and plans were made for the awards banquet, a donation to the historical society, and fruit baskets for sick and shut-in members.

## Science Books On Display At Board Office

Science textbooks and the program of studies for Garrett County schools are on display at the Board of Education office for review and comment by the public.

Members of the community are welcome to review and comment on this material, which will be available between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. through Oct. 9.

The Board of Education office is located at 40 S. Second Street, Oakland.

## Ballots Needed

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Brenda Butscher, 1,154; Dave Moe, 1,010; and DeCorsey Bolden, 406.

The winner will face Democrat Bill Aiken in the general election. The Accident resident received 419 votes in the four Georges Creek precincts and 1,138 votes in Garrett County.

Even without absentee ballots being counted, Del. George Edwards of Grantsville easily defeated challenger John "Ross" Sines of Oakland for the District 1 state senate seat. Edwards will face Tom Conlon of Cumberland in the November general election. Conlon was the only Democrat running for the office.

The winner will represent all of Garrett and Allegany counties and the western

portion of Washington County to fill the seat vacated by Sen. John Hafer, following his retirement this year.

Ernie Gregg of Mtn. Lake Park will retain his seat as Garrett County commissioner of District 1. With 3,093 votes, Gregg beat out fellow Republican candidate Sid Nazelrod of Loch Lynn, who received 1,469 votes. No Democrats ran for the position.

In the commissioner District 2 race, incumbent Republican Fred Holliday of Avilton received 3,218 votes. He ran unopposed and will face Democrat Walt Walters of Grantsville in November. Walters received 916 votes and ran unopposed for the Democratic ticket.

Republican Denny Grotfely of McHenry defeated Dave Beard's re-election bid for commissioner of District 3. Grotfely received 2,721 votes, while Beard, an Oakland resident, garnered 1,438 votes. Carroll "Buddy" Paugh currently has 566. Grotfely will face Democrat Betty Pritt in the general election. She received 1,086 votes and ran unopposed.

Republican state attorney Lisa Thayer Welch will retain her position. She received 3,610 votes and had no challengers.

Also retaining their seats are Circuit Court clerk David Martin, who received 4,019 votes; register of wills Joseph DiSimone, 3,788; and orphans' court judges Clifford DeWitt, 3,316; James Margroff, 2,953; and Wayne Wilt, 2,882. All are Republicans who ran uncontested races. No Democrats ran for the offices.

Only two candidates vied for the six-member Democratic Central Committee. Zelma Neary received 878 votes, and James Stanton got 976 votes. The four other committee seats will

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Board of Education: Donald Forrester, Mtn. Lake Park, District 1; Camilla Rowe, Grantsville, and Thomas Carr, Accident, both of District 2; and Rodney Durst, Oakland, and Bill Elliot, McHenry, both of District 3. The race is nonpartisan.

In state races (not counting absentee ballots), Gov. Bob Ehrlich received 4,029 votes in Garrett County. He will face Baltimore mayor Martin O'Malley, a Democrat, on Nov. 7. O'Malley received 1,218 local votes.

Democrat William Donald Schaefer received 630 votes in his bid for reelection as comptroller. Rival Janet Owens garnered 386 votes, while Peter Franchot got 326. On the Republican ticket, Anne McCarthy received 1,371 votes; Stephen Abrams, 1183; Mark Spradley, 514; and Gene Zarwell, 225. Franchot will face McCarthy in the general election.

In the attorney general race, Scott Rolle ran unopposed for the Republican nomination and received 3,155 local votes. He will face Douglas Gansler, who won the Democratic pri-

mary against Stuart Simms. Gansler received 594 votes in Garrett County, while Simms had 375.

As expected, Lt. Gov. Michael Steele received the majority of the votes for the Republican primary for a seat in the U.S. Senate. He had 10 opponents. Locally, Steele received 3,417 votes, or 81.49 percent, of the votes. Steele will face Democrat Ben Cardin in November.

In Garrett County, Cardin received 386 votes, while Kweisi Mfume received 142. There were 16 other Democrats vying for the seat that will become vacant after Senator Paul Sarbanes retires this year.

In his bid for reelection, Sixth District Congressman Roscoe Bartlett easily defeated challenger Josep Krystoforski. Locally, Bartlett received 3,743, or 83.55 percent, of the votes. Krystoforski received 737. Bartlett will face Democrat Andrew Duck in November. Duck received 826 local votes, while his challenger Barry Kissin received 340.

The unofficial primary election results from Garrett County may be viewed on-

line at [co.garrett.md.us/Elections/2006Election.aspx](http://co.garrett.md.us/Elections/2006Election.aspx)

## Letters

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owners. If you recognize any of these dogs please contact the shelter. By state law, your dogs are required to have a rabies vaccination, then the rabies tag could also serve as identification if your dog is found. County law requires a county dog license. Last week's featured female beagle, and yellow Lab were adopted and several cats were also adopted. More dogs and cats have been brought in to the shelter, so if you are looking for your pet or to adopt a new pet, please come to the shelter. You must fill out an adoption application and agree to provide vet care, food, water, shelter, along with playtime for your pet. There is a small adoption fee, which is applied to the spay/neuter expense." For more information, persons may call the shelter at 301-334-3553.

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The class will be held Saturday, Sept. 23, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Cumberland Chapter House, 400 Cumberland Street. The cost is \$25 per person.

The four-hour course is designed to give individuals the basic knowledge necessary to prevent, prepare for, and respond to the emer-

gency needs of their cat/dog. The class goal is to teach both pet owners and professional animal handlers how to properly stabilize their cats/dogs until veterinarian care is available.

To enroll in this class or obtain more information, persons may call the American Red Cross at 301-722-1760, ext. 105, or 866-766-2657.

### Accident Library To Offer Program On Genealogy

Pat Van Buskirk will present an adult program about genealogy at the Accident Library on Wednesday, Oct. 4, from 6 to 7 p.m. The program is free and open to the public.

For more information, persons may contact Janet Otto, branch manager, at 301-746-8792.

### St. Mark's To Start Sunday School With Rally Day

The Sunday School season at St. Mark's Lutheran Church in Oakland will open this Sunday, Rally Day, Sept. 17, at 8:45 a.m. There are classes for all ages, from toddlers to those in high school. The class time ends at 9:40 a.m., just prior to the start of the church service at 10 a.m.

Rally Day will feature special songs, introductions of teachers, and refreshments.

The staff will use mainly the Gospel Light series of teaching materials for most of the classes. The 7th and 9th graders will be enrolled in the confirmation class, which is a two-year program culminating in the students' confirmation in the church as young adults. It is taught by Fran Storck and Rev. Dr. C. Scott Robinson, pastor of the church.

The season of Sunday School will include the regular morning classes as well as a special Advent series, a Youth Sunday event, and a Christmas pageant. The youth will also be invited to engage in some group activities, such as service projects, lock-ins, and special gatherings.

The church is located at the corner of Second and Center streets. All are welcome to attend Sunday School and church. For more information, persons may call the church office at 301-334-2668.

### New Arrivals

The births of five local babies were announced this week, three girls and two boys.

A daughter, Aliyah Paige, was born to Mickey (III) and Susan (Colaw) Chapman, Loch Lynn, on Aug. 25 at Garrett County Memorial Hospital.

A son was born to Mark and Elaine (Paugh) Harman, Accident, on Sept. 6 at Garrett County Memorial Hospital.

A son, Nathan Robert, was born to Bobby and Megan (Bolinger) Aldridge, Mtn. Lake Park, on Sept. 8 at Garrett County Memorial Hospital. The maternal grandparents are David and Donna Bolinger, Oakland, and the paternal grandparents are Bill and Cecilia Pittman, Cumberland.

A daughter, Caecle Morgan, was born to C.J. and Carrie (DiSimone) Getson, Oakland, on Sept. 10 at Garrett County Memorial Hospital.

A daughter, Kaysa Linley, was born to Jason and Natalie (Sanders) Grose, Elkins, W.Va., on Sept. 7 at Monongalia General Hospital, Morgantown, W.Va. The paternal grandparents are Bill and Patti Grose, Cranesville, W.Va., and the maternal grandparents are Barry and Diana Sanders, Kingwood, W.Va., and the late Patty Sanders.

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## Social

### Miss Brown To Wed Mr. Streets



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### Marriage Permits Recently Issued

Twenty couples recently applied for their marriage licenses, according to David Martin, clerk of the Garrett County Circuit Court.

Brad William Dubil, 25, Blaine, Ohio, and Elizabeth Ann Yatko, 24, Dalton, Pa.

Jason Michael Mankel-vich, 27, and Christine Ann Johnson, 32, both of Wexford, Pa.

Chadd Everett Bock, 21, Londonderry, Ohio, and Angela Marie Carle, 20, Broomes Island.

Norman Eric Sweitzer, 34, and Diann Lynn Parrish, 39, both of Swanton.

Richard Wade Skipper Jr., 29, and Megan Jean Sweitzer, 32, both of Oakland.

Charles Ryan Hensler, 33, and Melissa Michele Myers, 27, both of Oakdale, Pa.

Gary McClinton Harrison, 36, and Peggy Jane Knox, 38, both of Lothian.

John David Upole, 42, and Cynthia Dawn Uphold, 41, both of Oakland.

John Roy Alcorn, 64, and Joann Faye Montgom-

ery, 67, both of Bridgeport, W.Va.

Patrick Nathaniel Yoder, 23, and Cynthia Ann Bren-neman, 18, both of Grantsville.

Brian Glenn Harvey, 25, and Keri Allison Strubing, 25, both of Accident.

Matthew Shane Hinebaugh, 21, and Ashley Lauren Tuck, 19, both of Oakland.

Kevin Jeffrey Herman Jr., 23, and Rebecca Lynn Harvey, 24, both of Oakland.

Robert Anthony Grant Sr., 39, and Sabrina Gas-kins, 35, both of Brandywine.

Harold Oswald Wilk II, 30, and Megan Amanda Brown, 29, Cleveland, Ohio.

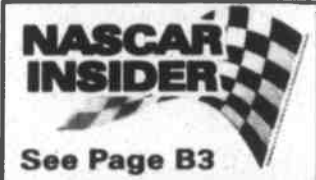
John Joseph Bielstein, 67, and Patricia Ann Bielstein, 63, both of Connells-ville, Pa. (former husband and wife).

Paul Richard Sensiba, 28, and Branyan Ann Booth, 30, both of Kettering, Ohio.

Jeremy William Fitzwater, 29, and Amie Sue Hughes, 29, both of Mt. Savage.

Matthew Allen Ray, 26, and Tammy Lynn Pannell, 27, both of Oakland.

David Lee Glahn, 24, and Ashley Marie Sweager, 20, both of Grantsville.



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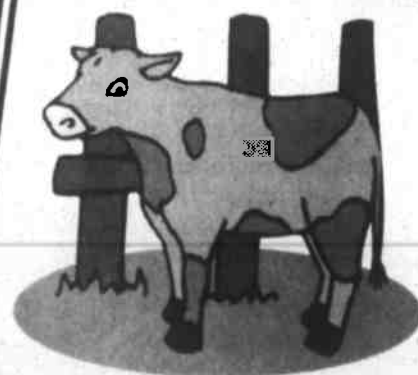
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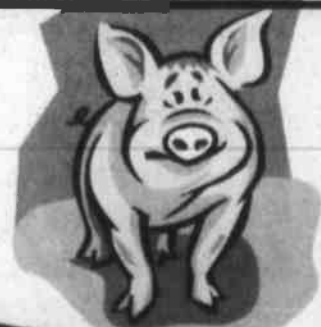
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# The Arts



**SOUTHERN BAND HAS FIRST CONTEST** - The Southern Garrett High School Marching Band traveled to its first band competition of the 2006 season, held in Elkins, W.Va., on Saturday. The band started off the afternoon with a clinical performance and workshop with National Tournament of Band (TOB) judges. This allows the students to talk to the judges to learn what they will be looking for throughout the competitive season, a band spokesperson said. The band closed the day with its first competition of the season, finishing first in Group I and earning a score of 70.9. There were no specialty awards given for auxiliary, percussion, or drum major. The entire band staff was pleased with the score and the performance of the band, the spokesperson said. "We are just getting started for the season, and already we are far ahead from last year," said Director Richard Clever. Pictured is drum major Tiffany Bernard displaying the band's first trophy of the year.

## Big Band Set To Perform At AG Kick-Off Dinner

The Mon River Big Band will perform at this year's Autumn Glory kick-off dinner and reception Wednesday, Oct. 11, at the Lodge at Wisp.

The band was founded in the spring of 2004 by Mike Roberts and Mark Cappellini. The purpose of the band was to "keep alive the sounds of the Big Band Era and to provide an opportunity for musicians to participate in a great band and have fun," said a spokesperson.

The 17-member band

performs music by Glenn Miller, Count Basie, Les Brown, Woody Herman, Tommy Dorsey, Buddy Rich, and many others. A male vocalist permits the band to include vocals from the Frank Sinatra library. The members of the band are music teachers and music professors, students, and retired band directors. The program will feature music from the 1920s to the music of 2006.

The band played in June at the opening event of the Little Yough Festival.

"The kick-off reception and dinner is a great way to begin enjoying our Autumn Glory events," said Charlie Ross, president and CEO of

the Garrett County Chamber of Commerce. "We are excited to have a band like this to jump start our favorite festival. We hope area dance instructors will pitch in with swing dance offerings and maybe a few fancy steps."

The 2006 Honorary Golden Ambassador will be announced at the dinner, which also includes the coronation of the Autumn Glory Royal Court and recognition of the parade marshals.

To make reservations for the kick-off dinner, persons may call Jessica Schmidt at 301-387-4386 or jessica@garrettchamber.com.

## Highlighted At

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lines with Princeton Formatives, fully implement instructional consultation teams, develop academic vocabulary, and continue data driven leadership.

"We want to continue what we've been doing because it has been giving us good success," said McCartney.

Another goal of the Master Plan is that all Core Academic Subject classes will be taught by highly qualified teachers. In 2005-2006, Garrett County had only 6.7% of CAS classes not taught by highly qualified teachers. "The state average for last year was 20%, so we thought 6.7% was great," said McCartney. To continue to improve, the goal for the percentage of classes not taught by highly qualified teachers is projected to be 5% in this year's Master Plan.

Another portion of the plan discusses schools that are defined by the state as persistently dangerous. Garrett County does not have any schools that qualify in this category, nor have there ever been, McCartney added.

The number of suspensions/expulsions for sexual harassment, harassment, and bullying was five for the 2005-2006 school year, which was down from 12 the previous year.

Another goal of the plan is to increase the number of students who graduate from high school with a regular

diploma and not a certificate. In 2005-2006, the percentage of all students was 87.16%, compared to 85.34% from the previous year.

The percentage of students dropping out of school decreased from 2.49% to 2.11%. "Some strategies from last year that we have used to focus on the drop out rate have been making an impact," said McCartney.

The High School Assessment (HSA) results have also showed improvement. For the biology HSA, 72.2% passed the test, compared to 58.6% in 2005. A significant increase was also seen in the algebra/data analysis test, with 75.3% passing, compared to 58.9% the year before. The government results were not as significant, but did increase, McCartney noted. In 2006, it was 73.8%, and it was 73.1% in 2005.

The SAT and ACT test scores were also explained to the board members by Dr. Pat Mullinix, coordinator of research, evaluation, and information.

She explained that the national scores for the SAT were down in 2006, and this test is much different from the previous test because it now incorporates a writing component. Garrett County students scored a mean score of 497 in reading, 508 in math, and 492 in writing. The state mean scores were 503 in reading, 509 in math, and 499 in writing. She added that the top score possible is 800, and most schools tend to look at scores around 500.

The ACT results showed a slight increase across the board. Mullinix added that many students do not take this test, although most do very well on it. The mean composite score was 21.4, with the nation's composite at 21.1 and the state's at 21.4. The top composite score on this test is 36.

## To Be Welcomed

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gardless of branch of service. The meetings are generally held the third Wednesday evening of every month from 6:30 until 8 p.m. The next meeting will be held Oct. 18 at the Oak Park Church of the Brethren, located across from Southern High School.

There are numerous topics addressed that provide assistance in dealing with the time apart. Child care is provided, and refreshments are available at each meeting.

"The support group is aware there are many more persons in our area who have served or are currently serving," said the spokesperson. "We would like to compile a list of all military personnel who have served in the Iraq or Afghanistan theaters, other locations such as Europe, or in any supporting roles, including stateside. Many have already served, and their service has not been able to be adequately recognized by our community. We feel it is important that our area know of each person's service to our country. This will permit us to give appropriate appreciation for their efforts on behalf of us all."

"We will also be able to offer support services to those families," he continued. "If you know of a service person who has served or is currently serving, please contact the Military Family Support Group with his or her name and location served, and family contact information if appropriate. We are here to assist the many families of our area who have loved ones serving our country. To contact the support group with this name information, please call 301-334-5906 (Mel and Cathy Menker)."

For more general information about the area Military Family Support Group, such as the services offered, persons may also contact the Menkers.



THE MON RIVER BIG BAND



## Escape from the Carnivale

by Dave Barry and Ridley Pearson, Performed by Jim Dale

c. 2006, Brilliance Audio, \$9.95, 2 discs; approx. 2 hours

Review by Terri Schlichenmeyer

Being a kid isn't easy. Everywhere you go, people tell you what to do and what not to do. Temptation surrounds you and some things are just impossible to resist. It's hard to heed your elders when you're a kid.

In the new children's audio book *Escape from the Carnivale* by Dave Barry and Ridley Pearson, performed by Jim Dale, it's doubly hard for Little Scallop and her friends to listen to the grown-ups. There's adventure to be had, and they don't want to miss it.

Little Scallop, Princess of the Mollusk tribe, is very envious of her bigger brothers. They get to spy on the Pirates on the other side of Mollusk Island. They have adventures. Little Scallop is only allowed to play in the cove with the mermaids, and while that's a lot of fun, it's not very adventurous.

Little Scallop's two best friends, Surf and Aqua, are mermaids who live in Parrot Cove, but they've explored the sea and they know secrets. Beautiful secrets, like the undersea cave where gigantic pearls are there for the taking. Aqua, Surf, and Little Scallop have been warned to never, ever stray from the safety of Parrot Cove, but who can resist the temptation of pearls?

It's a lovely night for clam hunting, but an unexpected storm arises and Surf and Aqua get lost. Little Scallop thinks maybe this adventure is a bad idea. It's an even worse idea when Surf is captured in a net, hauled aboard a decrepit ship named the Carnivale, and placed in a tank with strange-looking sea-creatures.

Ebenezer Crookshank, captain of the Carnivale, is

overjoyed to have caught a mermaid, and since this one speaks English, she'll be the headliner of their show. All Crookshank needs now is a sea-serpent, and he'll have riches beyond his grandest dreams.

Rushing back to Mollusk Island, Little Scallop runs to Neverland, in search of Peter Pan. Pan is away, but James, being the eldest and in charge of the Lost Boys, agrees to help free Surf from Crookshank and his men.

On the other side of the island, Peter Pan's old nemesis is hard at work, building a driftwood raft. Captain Hook saw the Carnivale out there on the water. A ship like that could get him off the island and away from the nasty crocodile that wants Hook for his dinner.

But who will reach The Carnivale first?

I'm just a wee bit beyond the age group that *Escape from the Carnivale* is meant for, but I still found it exciting. Jim Dale, who is the performer on this audio book, has won a Grammy, a Tony, and seven Audie Awards, and his reading makes this story one that will keep you sitting in your van in the parking lot, engine running, until the track ends or the next chapter begins.

When you see this audio book on the shelf, go ahead. Be tempted. Grab it and get ready for adventure. *Escape from the Carnivale* is a book you're going to want to net soon.

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• Maryland State Arts Council presents Grant Information Session for non-profit organizations at Windsor Hall, Cumberland, 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Free with prior reservations. (410-767-6555)

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• Neil Berg's 100 Years of Broadway, presented by FSU Cultural Events Series at PAC Pealer Recital Hall, Frostburg, 7:30 p.m. Tickets: adults, \$40; children up to age 17, \$38. (1-866-849-9237)

FRIDAY, Sept. 22

• Old Time Music Jam at Village Church, Spruce Forest Artisan Village, Grantsville, 6 to 9 p.m. Come to listen or to play. Donations appreciated. (301-895-3332)

• Stranger With a Camera and Sludge, two Appalshop films presented as part of Appalachian Festival by FSU Cultural Events Series, Palace Theatre, Frostburg, 8 p.m. Free. (1-866-849-9237)

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• Pianist Bobby Mitchell performs works by Liszt, Beethoven, and Frederic Rzewski for Alta Schrock Memorial Concert at Great Hall of Penn Alps, Grantsville, 7:30 p.m. Adult admission, \$12; under 18, free. (301-895-4250)

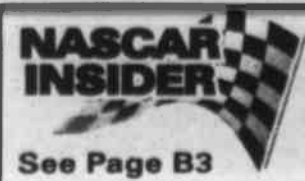
• Liz Carroll, John Doyle, Bruce Moisky & Dirk Powell, Irish music presented as part of Appalachian Festival by FSU Cultural Events Series at PAC Pealer Recital Hall, Frostburg, 7:30 p.m. Tickets: adults, \$15; children to age 17, \$10. (1-866-849-9237)

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The Hanlin Family

## Census Finds That Maryland Ties In Highest Income Bracket

by Alia Maliik  
Capital News Service  
Maryland was one of  
three states in a statistical tie  
for highest median house-  
hold income in 2005, ac-  
cording to a U.S. Census  
Bureau report released last  
week.

Maryland's median, or  
the point at which half the  
household incomes were  
higher and half were lower,  
was \$61,592 in 2005, up  
from \$57,424 the year be-  
fore. New Jersey's median  
was higher and Connecti-  
cut's was lower, but the dif-  
ferences between the three  
were all within the surveys'  
margins of error, making  
them statistically insignifi-  
cant.

After adjusting for infla-  
tion, Maryland's median  
household income increased  
3.8 percent, but that number  
is imprecise because of a  
large difference in sample  
sizes between the 2005 sur-  
vey and surveys from years  
past. Previous surveys did  
not sample every county in  
Maryland, said Ed Walnick,  
chief of the Census Bureau's  
Income Surveys depart-  
ment.

Maryland did see real  
household income growth  
in 2005, said Maryland De-  
partment of Planning  
economist Mark Goldstein,  
although the change in sam-  
pling might have skewed  
the dollar amount.

"If you look at other  
measures of growth in  
Maryland, job growth, you  
could come to a conclusion  
like that," Goldstein said,  
adding that the state  
showed its highest job  
growth rate in 2005 since  
2000.

"It just reinforces the idea  
that the state was fairly  
prosperous in 2005, and so  
it's not surprising that it  
would show a real increase  
in median income," he said.

Maryland's high con-  
centration of well-educated  
workers with high-paying  
jobs has contributed to its  
consistent ranking among  
the most prosperous states  
in the country, Goldstein

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said. Its proximity to the  
federal government in  
Washington, which makes  
it a leading recipient of  
priced federal contracts is  
another contributing factor.  
And finally, Goldstein said,  
last year's increase in federal  
spending probably contrib-  
uted to Maryland's rise in  
household income.

"I think the pie is increas-  
ing," he said, "... and  
Maryland is getting its  
share."

A few Maryland counties  
made the top 10 for median  
household income nation-  
wide. At \$91,184, Howard  
County's median income  
ranked third among coun-  
ties and independent cities  
with populations over  
250,000. Montgomery  
County's \$82,187 median  
ranked sixth.

"We have been at the  
top, or near the top, for de-  
cades, so this is not a surpris-  
ing place to find ourselves,"  
said Richard Story, chief  
executive officer of the  
Howard County Economic  
Development Authority.

Howard County's top-  
ranked school system, busi-  
ness climate and advanta-  
geous location between the  
urban centers of Baltimore  
and Washington, have been  
major contributors to the  
area's prosperity, Story said.

Montgomery County's  
proximity to Washington  
has always helped its econ-  
omy, but recently the  
county has been making it  
on its own, said Joe  
Shapiro, county economic  
development department  
spokesman. The percentage  
of residents employed by  
the federal government has  
gone down, the county's  
technology industry is grow-  
ing and areas like Silver  
Spring have been revital-  
ized.

"If you look back 25  
years, the dominant factor  
for Montgomery County  
employment, and existence  
really, was the federal gov-  
ernment, and that has, par-  
ticularly over the last 12  
years, changed," Shapiro  
said.

Maryland's fiscal picture  
is not all green. The city of  
Baltimore, by contrast, had  
the seventh-lowest median  
household income in the  
country, dropping to  
\$32,456. Baltimore residents  
have lower education levels  
than Maryland counties  
with the highest income,  
which could account in part  
for the difference in income  
levels, Goldstein said.

Calvert County had the  
third-highest income of  
counties between 65,000  
and 249,999 in population.  
Carroll County was not in  
the top 10 but had the  
eighth-lowest poverty rate,  
at 3.1 percent.

"Calvert County's kind of  
up-and-coming, kind of last  
frontier of southern Mary-  
land," said the county's Eco-  
nomic Development Direc-  
tor Linda Vassallo. "I'm not  
surprised, I'm really not  
surprised. I mean, we've  
been tracking in this direc-  
tion for a while."

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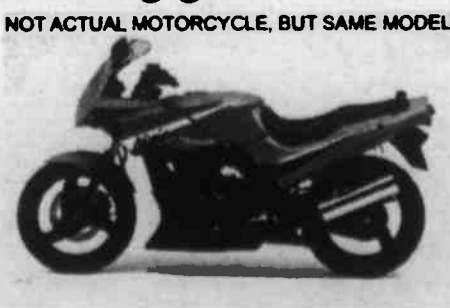
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# SPORTS

## Huskies Cruise Past Blazers 28-0 In Opener; Silbaugh Scores Twice

Blair Silbaugh scored two touchdowns and rushed for 147 yards, while leading the Northern Huskies to a 28-0 win in their home opener over the Clear Spring Blazers Friday at "Half-Mile-High" stadium in Accident.

On their first possession, the Huskies drove the length of the field on slashing runs by Silbaugh, Ben Diehl, and Corey Carr before quarterback Garrett Gullledge hit tight-end Bryce Manges on a 19-yard touchdown pass.

The Blazers' first drive

was stopped when Eric Espada picked off a pass by Clear Spring's quarterback Steven Munson. Again, the Huskies put together a long scoring drive, culminating in an 8-yard touchdown run by Silbaugh.

Hard-running fullback Corey Carr, who finished with 78 rushing yards, scored on a 4-yard run with 1:46 to play in the first half. The Huskies quickly regained possession, and with 46 seconds to go in the half put themselves within field goal range on a Gullledge to Manges 25-yard pass. With

	C.S.	N.
1st downs rushing	4	11
1st downs pass	2	1
1st downs penalty	2	0
Total 1st downs	8	12
Passes attempted	23	6
Passes completed	7	3
Passes intercepted	2	0
Yds. passing	62	59
Rush-net yds.	29-40	49-368
Punts-avg.	4-28	1-35
Fumbles-lost	0-0	5-1
Penalties-yds.	4-35	9-65
Total offense	102	427

time running out, Carr kicked a 27-yard field goal to give Northern a 21-0 half-time lead.

Running from a traditional wishbone offensive set, Silbaugh scampered 71 yards on the first play of the second half. The extra point was good, bringing the score to 28-0.

Carr said that he put the wishbone in place during the 1999 season. "It's a deceptive offensive scheme that confuses defenses and allows good blocking angles," Carr said.

The Huskies rushed for 368 yards and Gullledge added another 59 yards through the air for a total of 427 overall yards. Northern fumbled five times but turned the ball over only once. They were penalized nine times for 56 yards.

"We made some typical first game mistakes. We won't win consistently if we put the ball on the ground

five times a game. We've got some things to correct," said head coach Phil Carr.

Northern's defense was led by Brandon Opel with 14 tackles; Carr had 12, and Jason Doer: had nine tackles along with two sacks. Nick Graham and Eric Espada each had one interception.

Carr praised Opel for his team leading 14 tackles, noting that his good work in the weight room had contributed to his success.

"I thought we played well on defense overall," Carr said. "We covered the pass well, and the special teams and field goal unit were good."

### TOMORROW'S GAME

The Huskies will host Berkeley Springs this Friday at "Half-Mile-High" stadium in Accident. Having played each other for 20 years, Carr said that the two teams "were familiar with each other."

Although Berkeley Springs is 1-2, Carr pointed out that they had lost their two games by a total of five points. According to Carr, leadership is a strength for the Indians, who have 17 experienced seniors who returned from last year, including quarterback Nathan Firbaugh (5-11, 144). "Firbaugh has good technique with good fundamental skills, and he reads open targets well," Carr said. Firbaugh's favorite target, according to Carr, is tight-end Ryan Morris (6-4, 192, Sr.). Carr indicated that the Indians had two decent running backs, Cody Hess (5-8, 170, Jr.), a three-year starter, and fullback Cody Reed (5-9, 190, Jr.).

The coach said that Berkeley Springs runs a college offense, utilizing a deep tailback or split back formations. "They like to spread their offense out," Carr said.

Carr said that defensively the Indians operate a platoon system, in which the 11 offensive players are replaced by 11 defensive players. This will test the stamina of the Huskies as many of their starters play both ways.

"They have a speedy defense, with aggressive linebackers who like to blitz," Carr said.

Carr said he wants to "control the ball and control the time of possession." Turnovers will be the key, he added.

The game starts at 7 p.m. this Friday at Northern. Cl. Spr. 0 0 0 0 - 0 North. 6 15 7 0 - 28

**First Quarter**  
N - Bryce Manges 19 pass from Garrett Gullledge, 5:47 (run failed).  
**Second Quarter**  
N - Blair Silbaugh 8 run, 10:43 (pass failed).  
N - Corey Carr 4 run (kick failed), 1:46.  
N - Carr 27 field goal, 0:00.  
**Third Quarter**  
N - Silbaugh 71 run (Carr kick), 11:41.

## Rams Beat NHS In Golf Match At Oakland 167-183

The Southern Rams defeated the Northern Huskies 167-183 in a golf match played last Thursday at the Oakland Golf Club.

Medalist Seth Fike shot a 40 for Southern, and Northern's Ed Herpel had a low score of 42.

Southern and Northern are scheduled to play at the Oakland Golf Club Monday, Sept. 11, in the 18-hole WMIL Meet.



**NHS WINS SEASON OPENER** - The Northern High School Huskies rolled to a 28-0 victory over the Clear Spring Blazers in their season opener at "Half-Mile-High" stadium Friday night in Accident. Blair Silbaugh racked up 147 yards on the ground and scored twice, including a 71-yard touchdown run to open the second quarter. Corey Carr rushed for 78 yards, kicked a 27-yard field goal, and had 12 tackles on defense. The Huskies ran for 368 yards, and Garrett

Gullledge added another 59 yards passing to total 427 yards. Northern will play Berkeley Springs this Friday at home. Pictured above, Corey Carr (#30) runs for daylight; to Carr's left, Justin Rosenberger (#71) and Brock Giotfelty (#81) attempt to get into the action. Below, Gullledge (#7) prepares to pass, while Dom DiRienzo (#78), Rosenberger (#71), and Carr (#30) attempt to block.



## Northern Beats Southern In JV Season Opener

The Northern Huskies junior varsity football team kicked off its season by beating the Southern Rams 21-8 Wednesday, Sept. 6, at Southern.

Northern halfback Bobby Wingrove raced 75 yards for a first quarter touchdown, and quarterback Josh Duckworth completed a 25-yard touchdown pass to tight-end Kyle Gillum for a third quarter score, and then ran five yards for a touchdown in the fourth quarter to complete the scoring.

Duckworth passed for 113 yards, completing six of 10 passes. Mike Rugola led the Huskies' defense with 11

**NORTHERN (21)**  
**SOUTHERN (8)**  
Northern 8 0 6 7 - 21  
Southern 8 0 0 0 - 8

**First Quarter**  
N - Bobby Wingrove 75 run (Kyle Gillum pass from Josh Duckworth pass).  
S - Southern 3 run.  
**Third Quarter**  
N - Gillum 25 pass from Duckworth (pass failed).  
**Fourth Quarter**  
N - Duckworth 5 run (Gillum kick).

tackles and an interception, and Adam Moranduzz had eight tackles and two sacks.

Southern scored its only touchdown on a three yard in the first period. Northern plays Clear Spring on Wednesday.

### PEE WEE LEAGUE FOOTBALL SCORES

**OAKLAND RENEGADES (34)**  
**CUMBERLAND RAIDERS (26)**  
Cumb. 7 7 12 0 - 26  
Oak. 7 14 7 6 - 34  
O - Josh Adams run (Adams run).  
C - Alexander Barnes run (Tyler Smallwood run).  
O - Cooper McCauley run (McCauley run).

O - McCauley run (Reese Hasckill run).  
C - Bryce Lowery run (Lowery run).  
O - Travis Newton run (Austin Reckard run).  
C - Barnes run (run failed).  
C - Barnes run (run failed).  
O - Hasckill run (run failed).  
Renegades won the C team game.

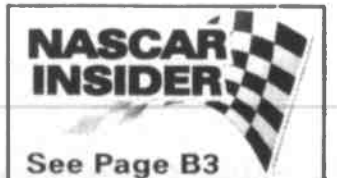
**KEYSER (48)**  
**OAKLAND VIKINGS (31)**  
Keyser 6 14 0 28 - 48  
Oakland 18 0 7 6 - 31  
**First Quarter**  
K - Garrett Crites 4 run (run failed).  
O - Lucas Ritchie 45 run (run failed).  
O - Keeton Taylor 41 run (run failed).  
O - Shawn Markwood 5 run (run failed).  
**Second Quarter**

K - Dustin Lucas 1 run (Dylan Hopkins run).  
K - Danny Fife 13 run (Derek Wilt run).

**Third Quarter**  
O - Matthew Shaffer 3 run (Ritchie run).

**Fourth Quarter**  
K - Hopkins 34 run (Robbie Vinci run).  
K - Hopkins 47 run (Derek Wilt run).

O - Nevin White 45 run (run failed).  
K - Wilt 7 run (Fife run).  
K - Fife 5 run (Lucas run).  
C Team: Keyser def. Oakland.



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**SHS CHEERLEADERS ARE ALL-AMERICAN** — Members and staff of the Southern Garrett cheerleaders squad attended a summer training camp at Camp Deep Creek in McHenry where five girls earned NCA (National Cheerleaders Association) All-American honors. The camp was sponsored by the NCA, the oldest and the largest cheerleading organization of its kind in the country, according to Harry Biggs, head coach. In addition, the coaching staff received in-depth training from the NCA staff. The cheerleaders received training in several areas, including chanting, field cheers, dancing, and stunts, according to Biggs. "The NCA camp is one of the highlights for the entire year," the coach said. "What we learn there will be used throughout the fall and winter sports seasons." The assistant coach is Angle Biggs. This will be the couple's seventh year as the squad's leaders. They will also be assisted by Andrea Beachy, Amy Burgess, and Marci Biggs. Burgess comes with a strong background with both high school and collegiate level cheerleading competition squads, and Beachy and Biggs are alumni of the Southern cheerleading squads. They were the captains for the 2002-2003 team and both are former All-American award recipients. The All-American designation is the highest award given by the NCA, Biggs noted. Persons who receive this distinction are entitled to several other NCA activities during this coming year. The All-American recipients are pictured left to right: Kira Farley, Erica Gloffelt, Hana Smith, Brianne Uphold, and Alayna Galtner. Uphold is a three-time NCA All-American, while Farley, Galtner, and Smith each received this designation for the second time.

## Ram Gridders Manhandled By State Champion Campers, 45-6

New Southern High School head football coach Steve Savage knew that his debut couldn't be much more difficult than it was, as his young Rams had to go up against the reigning state 1A champions, on the road, in their season opener. The end result Saturday night at Greenway Stadium in Cumberland was a convincing 45-6 defeat at the hands of the Campers, who many believe are an even better team this year than last.

Allegany dominated just about every phase of the game, finishing with 321 yards of offense and a dozen first downs, while holding the Rams to 101 yards and only five first downs.

The Rams stayed just about even with the Campers in the first quarter, with the only points being scored on a 39-yard touchdown run by Alco's Tyler Wharton. The Southern defense blocked the conversion attempt.

But early in the second quarter, the home team began to assume full control.

Allegany's Jeff Babich picked off Adam VanBogelen's pass to set up the Campers' next touchdown, a 22-yard run by scrambling quarterback Derek Haller in the first half. The conversion run was stopped short, leaving Allegany with a 12-0 lead.

The Campers then scored three more touchdowns in the final eight minutes of the second quarter to give them a commanding 32-0 halftime lead.

Wharton scored again on a 22-yard carry, and Jeff Babich pulled in the conversion pass from Haller to make it 20-0 with eight minutes left in the half.

Then Jeff Link capped the next Camper drive with a seven-yard touchdown run. The two-point conversion attempt was no good.

Then with 2:43 to play in the first half, second-team quarterback Travis Orange connected with a leaping Babich on a 43-yard touchdown play. Again the run for the extra two points was **ALLEGANY (45)**

**SOUTHERN (6)**  
South, 0 0 0 6 - 6  
Alleg. 6 26 13 0 - 45

**First Quarter**  
A - Tyler Wharton 39 run (kick blocked), 10:23

**Second Quarter**  
A - Derek Haller 22 run (run failed), 10:56

A - Wharton 25 run (Jeff Babich pass from Haller), 8:00

A - Jeff Link 7 run (run failed), 4:37

A - Babich 43 pass from Travis Orange (run failed), 2:43

**Third Quarter**  
A - Link 29 run (kick failed), 10:56

A - Doug Hamilton 12 run (Link kick)

**Fourth Quarter**  
S - Adam VanBogelen 1 run (run failed), 4:55

stopped by the Ram defense.

The second half did not start well for the Rams, as Babich returned the opening kickoff 50 yards to the Southern 34. Three plays later, Jeff Link raced 29 yards into the end zone. The conversion kick was no good and Allegany led 38-0.

The Rams again failed to get a first down on the their next drive, returning possession to Allegany on Southern's 46. After a 27-yard run by Link, Doug Hamilton scored on a 12-yard carry, and Link booted the extra point to conclude the Campers' scoring.

The Rams averted a shut-out when VanBogelen engineered a 10-play, 59-yard drive and, with just 45 seconds left in the game, took the ball into the end zone himself on a one-yard carry. The conversion run failed.

"Obviously we knew we had an uphill fight on our hands," Coach Savage said. "They may well be the best 1A team in the state."

However, Savage said that, despite the outcome of the game, there were bright spots.

"Even though we were out-manned across the board, our kids never quit and I'm proud of them for that," he said. "Plus we had no injuries, at least none serious enough to keep anyone out of this week's game."

He further stated that his players have responded well this week in preparation for Beall.

"I think our kids were a little embarrassed, and in response to that we have had very good practices this week," he said.

While the Beall Mountaineers may not be the caliber of the Campers, the Rams will no doubt have their hands full once again this Friday night in their home opener.

The Mountaineers are coming off a 26-14 victory over Catocin in their season opener last week.

The somewhat traditional wish-bone offense of Beall has been replaced by an I-formation that centers on a pair of talented senior fullbacks, Pat Winebrenner (5-10, 200) and Shane Chambers (5-11, 185).

"Winebrenner is a tough, bruising runner who stays inside most of the time, while Chambers has a little more speed and runs well both inside and outside," Savage said.

The Beall offense is led by sophomore quarterback Matt Farris (5-11, 185).

"They are a run-oriented team, and Farris does a good job of hiding the ball in their option," said Savage.

The Beall defense is primarily a 4-4 set, led by

	S	A
1st downs rushing	4	10
1st downs passing	1	1
1st downs penalty	0	1
Total 1st downs	5	12
Passes attempted	7	8
Passes completed	2	3
Passes intercepted	2	1
Yards passing	26	59
Rush-net yds.	38-75	29-262
Punts-average	5-25.4	0-0.0
Fumbles-lost	1-0	1-0
Penalties-yards	5-35	4-30
Total offense	101	321

Winebrenner and Chambers at linebacker positions, and anchored up front by defensive end Joe Logsdon (6-2, 210).

"Size-wise we are pretty comparable to them," Savage said. "As for team speed, they are probably a little faster."

"It will take a very good effort from us to win this game," he continued. "We are going to have to control the ball, and thereby chew up the clock, as much as possible. We simply cannot play defense the whole game, which is what happened to us last week."

Savage said that he and some of his assistants had the opportunity to scout the Beall-Catocin game since it was played Friday night.

"We will add a few new wrinkles to our offensive plan and try to incorporate a little more misdirection," he said.

Friday's kickoff is set for 7 p.m., but just before that, Savage wants to "start a new tradition" at the Rams' athletic field.

"We're calling it the 'Ram Walk,' and we would like for our students and fans to join the cheerleaders just outside the north end zone to help cheer our players onto the field just before the kickoff," he said, adding that this would take place at approximately 6:55.

## Steelers Remain Undefeated In Youth Football

The Northern Steelers beat the Frostburg Raiders 40-0 to remain one of two undefeated teams in the second week of the Division I Cumberland Area Youth Football league.

Alex Baker scored twice on touchdown runs of 15 and 65 yards. Kameron Kamp scored on a 59-yard run and gained 72 yards on six carries. Jacob Bosley ran for a 41-yard score and kicked a two-point conversion, while Garrett Rayner scored on a 30-yard run and Jason Opel ran for a 22-yard touchdown.

Northern hosts Ridgeley Rams, the only other undefeated team on Sunday.

The Steelers remained undefeated in Division II by beating the Raiders 21-0.

The Steelers scored on Josh Mason's five-yard run, Cody Rodeheaver's 33-yard TD catch from Josh Mason, and Tyler Bittinger's 65-yard run. All three extra points were made.

The Steelers will host the Ridgeley Rams this Sunday in a game that will match-up the only two unbeaten Division I teams.

**NORTHERN STEELERS (40)**  
**FROSTBURG RAIDERS (0)**  
Frost, 0 0 0 0 - 0  
North, 14 6 12 8 - 40  
N - Alex Baker 15 run (Jacob Bosley kick)  
N - Jason Opel 22 run (kick failed)  
N - Garrett Rayner 30 run (kick failed)  
N - Baker 65 run (kick failed)  
N - Kameron Kamp 59 run (kick failed)  
N - Bosley 41 run (kick failed)  
N - Safety, Opel blocked punt through end zone.

**NORTHERN STEELERS (21)**  
**FROSTBURG RAIDERS (0)**  
Frost, 0 0 0 0 - 0  
North, 7 6 8 0 - 21  
N - Josh Mason 5 run (Tyler Bittinger pass from Cody Rodeheaver)  
N - Rodeheaver 33 pass from Mason (run failed)  
N - Bittinger 65 run (Mason kick)

## Rams Squeak By Bishop 28-26 In Youth Football

The Oakland Rams needed to score two touchdowns in the final quarter to beat Bishop Walsh 28-26 in the Division I Cumberland Area Youth Football League.

Quarterback Bubba Scheffel got the Rams on the scoreboard in the second quarter when he hooked up with Bryson Knox on a 65-yard touchdown pass. Scheffel kicked the extra point to make the score 8-6.

Dylan D'Atri put Bishop ahead 12-8 after he scampered 65 yards for a touchdown. The extra point was no good. The Rams came right back on a 17-yard scoring run by Ben Dicks. The kick by Scheffel made the score 16-12. Bishop scored again on another D'Atri run of 35 yards, and Jack Shade ran the extra point, making the score 19-16 in favor of Bishop.

Oakland took the lead again 22-19 on Scheffel's 25-yard scoring run. The extra point failed, and D'Atri put Bishop ahead again when he took a Simon Howell pass 61 yards for a score. Shade ran the extra point, bringing the score to 26-20.

The Rams won the game on Bryson Knox's four-yard run, bringing their record to an even 1-1. Oakland will host Fairmont this Sunday.

In Division II, the Oakland Rams beat Bishop Walsh 19-6. The Rams scored on a 78-yard run by Lex Ozias and two touchdowns runs by Zack Knotts. Bishop scored late in the game on Simon Howell's 21-yard pass to Matt Kelly.

**OAKLAND RAMS (28)**  
**BISHOP WALSH (26)**  
Rams, 0 8 8 12 - 28  
BW, 6 6 7 7 - 26  
BW - Garrett Dolly 24 run (kick failed)

O - Bryson Knox 65 pass from Bubba Scheffel (Scheffel kick)

BW - Dylan D'Atri 76 run (kick failed)

O - Ben Dicks 17 run (Scheffel kick)

BW - D'Atri 35 run (Jake Shade run)

O - Scheffel 25 run (kick failed)

BW - D'Atri 61 pass from Simon Howell (Shade run)

O - Knox 4 run (kick failed)

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AN EXCELLENT SAVE by Northern High goalkeeper Justine Harvey was captured in this shot by staff photographer John McEwen during the Huskies' match against Allegany Tuesday evening, a contest which the Huskies won, 2-1. Also in the photo, from left, are Northern's Amy Lander, Erin Brenneman, and

Bethani Gillum. Below, Northern's Brittany Stein (#3) is shown in the process of dribbling the ball around a Camper defender. Stein scored one of the Huskies' two goals off an assist by Adria Graham, while Graham netted the other one off a feed from Sarah Voelkel. Photos by John McEwen.



### Northern Girls Crush Spartans Before Nipping Campers, 2-1

The girls' varsity soccer team of Northern High School opened its season this past week with two victories in as many starts, crushing Bishop Walsh last Thursday, 8-3, in the Garrett County Tournament, hosted by Southern, and then handing last year's area co-champion Allegany a 2-1 defeat Tuesday at the Cove.

Sarah Voelkel scored a hat trick plus one goal in the win over Bishop Walsh, with all four of her scores coming in the second half of action. She also had two assists.

The first half ended in a 2-2 tie, and the Huskies fell

behind 3-2 before erupting for six unanswered goals.

Adria Graham put the ball into the net off a feed by Voelkel at the 18:13 mark of the first half to give the Huskies a 1-0 edge.

The Spartans knotted the score less than four minutes later when Kara Miller got a goal off a pass from Lydia Hughes.

Miller struck again with an unassisted goal at the 7:44 mark to give BW the lead, but Erin Brenneman answered about two minutes later with a goal off a feed by Voelkel.

Just under five minutes into the second half, the

Spartans regained the lead, as Miller completed her own hat trick, scoring unassisted.

But from there on it was all Northern, with Voelkel scoring two goals on assists by Graham, Graham following with her own unassisted goal at the 22:44 mark. Brenneman finding the back of the net again off an assist by Bethani Gillum with 14:40 to play, and Voelkel scoring two more.

The last of the match, was scored less than a minute later off an assist by Brenneman.

The Huskies finished with a 34-14 lead in shots and an 8-2 advantage in cor-

ner kicks. Justine Harvey turned away seven shots for Northern, and Megan Eversole recorded nine saves for the Spartans.

In the win over Allegany Tuesday evening, the Huskies scored both of their goals in a second-half span of less than two minutes.

Northern out-shot the Campers in the first half by a 12-3 margin, but the half ended in a scoreless tie. One minute into the second half, Adria Graham found the back of the net off an assist from Voelkel.

Just one minute later, Graham fed a well-timed pass to junior forward Brittany Stein, who nailed a hard shot from about 15 yards out on the left side of the goal.

Allegany avoided a shut-out when Christina Russo scored off a corner kick assist from Jaclyn Boor with just 2:22 to play in the match.

The Huskies out-shot the Campers for the match, 22-10, and led in corner kicks, 7-2. Northern keeper Justine Harvey had seven saves, including two big ones in the second half to guarantee the victory. Chantae Dicken recorded eight saves for Allegany.

Coach John Milbourne praised his team for its "tenacity" in the second half, and added "Our combination passing and ability to win space was critical in breaking down their defense."

In the preliminary match, Northern's junior varsity opened its season with a 5-0 victory over the jayvee Campers. The Huskies' opening goal came from freshman forward Nikki Diehl in the 10th minute off an assist by junior midfielder Susan Thatcher. Amanda Brenneman and Kara Savage added penalty-kick goals to end the first half action at 3-0.

In the second half, junior midfielder Stephanie Shapiro added a penalty kick goal, and Diehl capitalized on an assist by Shapiro in

**NORTHERN (8)**  
**BISHOP WALSH (3)**  
Bishop Walsh 2 1 - 3  
Northern 2 6 - 8

**First Half**

N - Adria Graham assisted by Sarah Voelkel, 18:13.

BW - Kara Miller assisted by Lydia Hughes, 14:29.

BW - Miller unassisted, 7:44.

N - Erin Brenneman assisted by Voelkel, 5:40.

**Second Half**

BW - Miller unassisted, 35:15.

N - Voelkel assisted by Graham, 29:40.

N - Voelkel assisted by Graham, 23:57.

N - Graham unassisted, 22:44.

N - Brenneman assisted by Bethani Gillum, 14:40.

N - Voelkel unassisted, 10:45.

N - Voelkel assisted Brenneman, 9:48.

**NORTHERN (2)**  
**ALLEGANY (1)**

Allegany 0 1 - 1  
Northern 0 2 - 2

N - Adria Graham, assisted by Sarah Voelkel, 35:55.

N - Brittany Stein, assisted by Adria Graham, 34:05.

A - Christina Russo, assisted by Jaclyn Boor, 2:22.

the 59th minute to finish the scoring. Northern dominated in shots on goal by a 27-2 margin, and led in corner kicks, 2-1. Husky freshman goalkeeper Brittany Mallow recorded one save.

NHS coach Jeff Graham said that his team used "sound defensive tactics and quick counter-attacks to keep the Campers grounded."

Coach Milbourne is anticipating a winning season for his varsity Huskies this year, as he lost only two seniors to graduation from the 2005 team, which finished 4-11-1 (2-8 WMIL). Thus, he has the luxury of having nine starters back from a team that finished the season strong, in spite of its overall record.

The Huskies defeated Westmar in the first round of the Maryland Class 1A Region I playoffs, but their season was ended in the second round by eventual state champion Smithsburg.

This year's team is being led by three seniors who have a significant amount of experience. Team captains Erin Brenneman and Bethani Gillum have been three-year starters. Milbourne said that Brenneman, who had four goals and one assist last year, will be controlling the tempo of the game by playing out of the midfield, and Gillum will secure the back line of defense by stopping opponents and organizing counter attacks.

Shayla Rodeheaver completes the senior roster by playing out of the back. Last season she scored a spectacular goal off a corner kick.

Juniors include Amy Lander, Brittany Stein, and Sarah Voelkel. Lander is a returning player who played in the midfield last year, but has made the transition to defending back this season. Stein and Voelkel are also three-year starters and are back at the forward positions. Stein led the team in scoring last season with eight goals and two assists, followed by Voelkel with seven goals and three assists.

The team has seven sophomores, including starting goalkeeper Justine Harvey. Grace Herpel, Amber Kling, and Meghan Voelkel look to contribute in the midfield and, according to Milbourne, have brought

### SHS Girls Open With Wins Over Preston, BW, Frankfort

Off to a strong start in their 2006 season are the members of the Southern High School girls' varsity soccer team, who won their first three encounters of the campaign this past week.

The easiest victory was the first one - a forfeit over Preston County last Thursday night in the Garrett County Tournament.

The second win was a 4-1 defeat of visiting Bishop Walsh on Saturday, also as part of the tournament, and the third was a 3-1 defeat of Frankfort Tuesday evening, also on the Rams' pitch.

Lauren Shue scored a pair of goals for Southern against Bishop Walsh on Saturday.

The Rams took a 1-0 lead with about 23 minutes to play in the first half when Lauren Neville found the back of the net off an assist by Brittney Scheffel.

Shue got her first score of the night 12 minutes later, connecting off a pass from Neville.

Making it 3-0 just two minutes later was Kayla Petrella, who scored an unassisted goal with about nine minutes left in the first half.

The Spartans finally got on the board two minutes before intermission, as Leah Scarpelli slipped a ball past Ram keeper Jessica Petrella on a direct kick.

**SOUTHERN (4)**  
**BISHOP WALSH (1)**  
Bishop Walsh 1 0 - 1  
Southern 3 1 - 4

**First Half**

S - Lauren Neville assisted by Brittney Scheffel, 23:00.

S - Lauren Shue assisted by Sarah Voelkel, 18:13.

S - Kayla Petrella unassisted, 9:00.

BW - Leah Scarpelli direct kick, 2:00.

**Second Half**

S - Shue assisted by Scheffel, 35:00.



**HAT TRICK BY NEVILLE** — Leading the Southern High girls' varsity to a 3-1 victory Tuesday night over visiting Frankfort was Lauren Neville, pictured above right, who scored all three of the Rams' goals for a hat trick. The loss for the Falcons was their first in two years, while the win upped the Rams' record to 3-0. Another victory this past week was a 4-1 defeat of Bishop Walsh on Saturday, in which Lauren Shue, pictured below seemingly in the middle of a ball levitation magic act, scored two goals for the Rams. Coach Sara Nawrot's squad will go after win #4 this evening in a Western Maryland Interscholastic League clash with Fort Hill in Cumberland. Photos by John McEwen.

solid ball-control skills to the squad.

Kelsey Jones and Megan Wiley will be securing the back line perimeter and have the capability of moving forward in the attack as well. Megan Kinsinger will see time as a forward and has proven to be versatile in her ability to play multiple positions.

The lone freshman on the team is Adria Graham, who is starting at the striker position. Milbourne said that she "brings solid technical skills to the position" and "has the ability to create scoring opportunities."

"This team brings a special chemistry to the field. They all work well together and have a competitive fire that is contagious," remarked Milbourne.

Junior varsity coach Jeff Graham's team gave up just four goals all last season. "We have a solid nucleus of returning players, complemented by some exciting freshmen who will make us a competitive team," Graham said.

The jayvee roster consists of six juniors, two sophomores, and six freshmen.

The Huskies will be back in action this evening when they host Beall. They will travel to Southern next Tuesday.



five of the Rams' attempts. 7:30 match, host Northern. The Rams will travel to next Tuesday, and play at Fort Hill this evening for a Beall next Thursday.

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## Husky Booters Edged By Elks, Deflate Tornadoes, Blank Rams

Two victories sandwiched one loss for the Northern High School boys' varsity soccer team this past week, as the Huskies embarrassed visiting Keyser last Thursday, 12-1, in an opening match of the Garrett County Tournament, were nipped by Salisbury in the same tourney on Saturday, 1-0, and then blanked visiting Southern in a Western Maryland Interscholastic League match on Monday, 4-0.

The results gave the Huskies and Coach Lynn Lais an overall mark of 3-1 and a 2-0 record in WMIL play.

Getting hat tricks for the Huskies in Thursday's easy win over Keyser were Zack Lipscomb and Daniel Boylan, while Elijah Lais and Daniel Wamick each scored two goals. Recording one each for Northern were Ryan Bowser and Tyler Kamp.

Lais was also credited with four assists, Kamp had two, and Lipscomb and Michael Clise earned one each.

A successful penalty kick by Grant Laisdell in the first half of action allowed the Golden Tornadoes to avert a shutout.

The Huskies finished with a lopsided 38-1 shots on goal and had a 4-1 lead in corner kicks. Keyser keeper Billy Crawford had 14 saves.

In Saturday's match against Salisbury, the Huskies out-shot the Elks by a 9-4 margin, but Salisbury's Brent Maust made his shot count, taking a feed from Mike Podlesnik and scoring at the 17:45 mark of the first half.

The 4-0 victory over county rival Southern on Monday featured two second-half goals by Daniel Wamick.

Most of the first half was scoreless defense, but with 6:22 remaining, Northern's Elijah Lais put the first goal on the board via a penalty kick.

Wamick scored the first of his two goals at the 28:28 mark of the second half off an assist by Ryan Bowser.

SALISBURY (1)				
NORTHERN (0)				
Salisbury	1	0	0	1
Northern	0	0	0	0

First Half  
S - Brent Maust assisted by Mike Podlesnik, 17:45.

Wamick scored again about 11 minutes later, this time off a feed by Lais.

Adding an insurance goal for the Huskies with 5:19 to play was Zac Beitzel, who scored off an assist by Zak Cupler.

Getting the shutout in goal for Northern was Zach Trautwein, who turned away six of the Rams' shots. Ram keeper Drew Proudfoot had eight saves.

The loss dropped the Rams to 1-3 overall and 0-2 in WMIL matches. (Results of other SHS matches can be found in a separate story.)

The Huskies will play again this Saturday when they host Westmar.

NORTHERN (12)				
KEYSER (1)				
Keyser	1	0	1	
Northern	6	6	12	

First Half  
N - Daniel Wamick assisted by Zack Lipscomb, 38:44.

N - Lipscomb assisted by Elijah Lais, 34:02.

N - Lais assisted by Tyler Kamp, 24:35.

N - Wamick assisted by Brian Williams, 21:38.

N - Daniel Boylan assisted by Lais, 8:30.

K - Grant Laisdell penalty kick, 5:08.

N - Boylan assisted by Kamp, 0:30.

Second Half  
N - Lipscomb assisted by Lais, 36:44.

## Rams Shut Out By Salisbury, Northern; Rip Keyser, Frankfort

The boys' varsity soccer team of Southern High School was shut out twice this past week, falling to Salisbury last Thursday, 5-0, in the Garrett County Tournament, and dropping a match to host Northern on Monday, 4-0, but the Rams also scored 16 goals in two other home matches, recording 8-0 shutouts of both Keyser on Tuesday and Frankfort on Saturday.

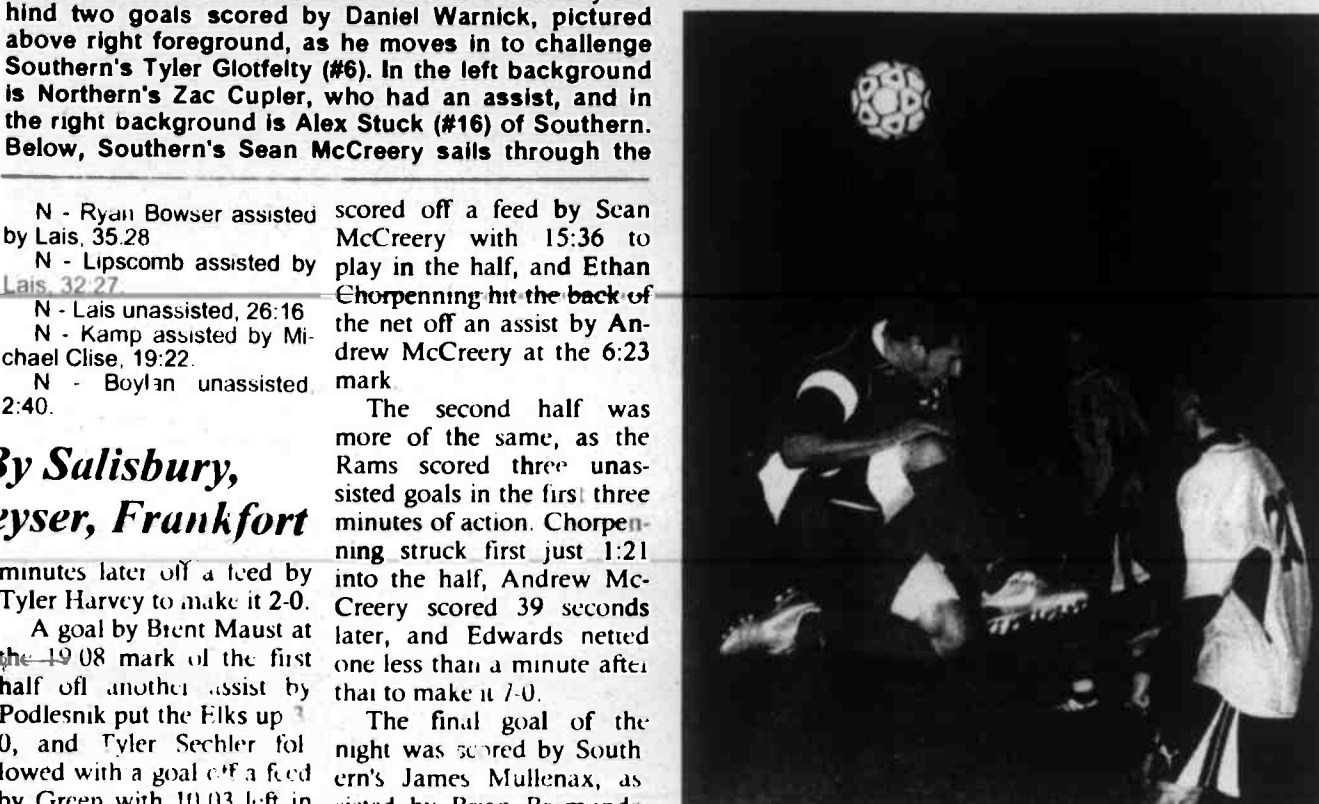
Despite trailing in shots by only a 16-10 margin to Salisbury, Elks keeper Jared Mooney did not allow the Rams to score against his team, and the Salisbury offense capitalized on five of its 16 attempts.

Jared Green scored first, finding the back of the net off an assist by Mike Podlesnik at the 33:31 mark of the first half.

Andrew Sailor followed with a goal just over three



GOING AT EACH OTHER on the soccer pitch at Northern High School Monday evening were the host Huskies and county rival Southern in their first clash of the season. The Huskies rolled to a 4-0 victory behind two goals scored by Daniel Wamick, pictured above right foreground, as he moves in to challenge Southern's Tyler Grottelty (#6). In the left background is Northern's Zac Cupler, who had an assist, and in the right background is Alex Stuck (#16) of Southern. Below, Southern's Sean McCreery sails through the



air and heads the ball right in front of Northern's Zack Lipscomb. In the center background is Elijah Lais of Northern, who also had an assist in the match. Photos by John McEwen.

scored off a feed by Sean McCreery with 15:36 to play in the half, and Ethan Chorpenning hit the back of the net off an assist by Andrew McCreery at the 6:23 mark.

The second half was more of the same, as the Rams scored three unassisted goals in the first three minutes of action. Chorpenning struck first just 1:21 into the half, Andrew McCreery scored 39 seconds later, and Edwards netted one less than a minute after that to make it 7-0.

The final goal of the night was scored by Southern's James Mullenax, assisted by Brian Bramonde, with 34:30 to play.

Drew Proudfoot earned the shutout in goal by turning away both of Keyser's shots, while Tornado keeper Billy Crawford recorded 34 saves.

Details of the Rams' 4-0 loss to Northern on Monday can be found in the Northern boys' soccer story in this section.

In the Rams' easy win over Frankfort on Tuesday, Ethan Chorpenning recorded a hat trick and assisted on a fourth goal, while Alex Stuck netted two goals and provided an assist.

Stuck scored the first goal of the match off an assist by Chorpenning in the fifth minute of the first half.

SALISBURY (5)				
SOUTHERN (0)				
Southern	0	0	0	0
Salisbury	4	1	5	

First Half  
Sa - Jared Green assisted by Mike Podlesnik, 33:31.

Sa - Andrew Sailor assisted by Tyler Harvey, 30:06.

Sa - Brent Maust assisted by Podlesnik, 19:08.

Sa - Tyler Sechler assisted by Green, 10:03.

Second Half  
Sa - Podlesnik assisted by Harvey.

SOUTHERN (8)

KEYSER (0)

Keyser 0 0 0 0

Southern 4 4 8

First Half

S - Alex Stuck assisted by Mike Edwards, 28:19.

S - Edwards unassisted, 22:17.

S - Matt Burton assisted by Sean McCreery, 15:36.

S - Ethan Chorpenning assisted by Andrew McCreery, 6:23.

Second Half

S - Chorpenning unassisted, 38:39.

S - Andrew McCreery unassisted, 38:00.

S - Edwards unassisted, 37:06.

S - James Mullenax assisted by Brian Bramonde, 34:30.

SOUTHERN (8)

FRANKFORT (0)

Frankfort 0 0 0 0

Southern 5 3 8

First Half

S - Alex Stuck assisted by Ethan Chorpenning, 35:38.

S - Chorpenning assisted by Stuck, 30:22.

S - Andrew McCreery assisted by Michael Edwards, 21:32.

S - Stuck assisted by Chorpenning, 16:48.

S - Chorpenning unassisted, 11:14.

Second Half

S - Andrew Dale assisted by Sean McCreery, 39:08.

S - Chorpenning assisted by Andrew McCreery, 31:34.

S - Edwards unassisted, 19:17.

Chorpenning followed with a goal off a feed by Stuck about five minutes later.

Andrew McCreery made it 3-0 with a goal off a pass from Michael Edwards with 21:32 to play in the half. Stuck followed with his second goal, assisted by Chorpenning, at the 16:48 mark, and Chorpenning made it 5-0 with an unassisted goal at the 11:14 mark.

Less than a minute into the second half, Andrew Dale scored off a feed from Sean McCreery. Chorpenning then completed his hat trick at the 31:34 mark with a goal off Andrew McCreery's assist.

Edwards then concluded the scoring for the night with an unassisted goal at the 19:17 mark.

The Rams held a commanding 17-2 lead in shots, and a 2-0 advantage in corner kicks. Proudfoot turned away both of the Falcons' attempts, and Andy Hughes recorded nine saves for Frankfort.

The Rams, currently 2-3 overall and 0-2 in the WMIL, will be back in action this evening at home against Fort Hill (5:30, junior varsity; 7 p.m., varsity), and will travel to Allegany next Tuesday for a 4 p.m. match.

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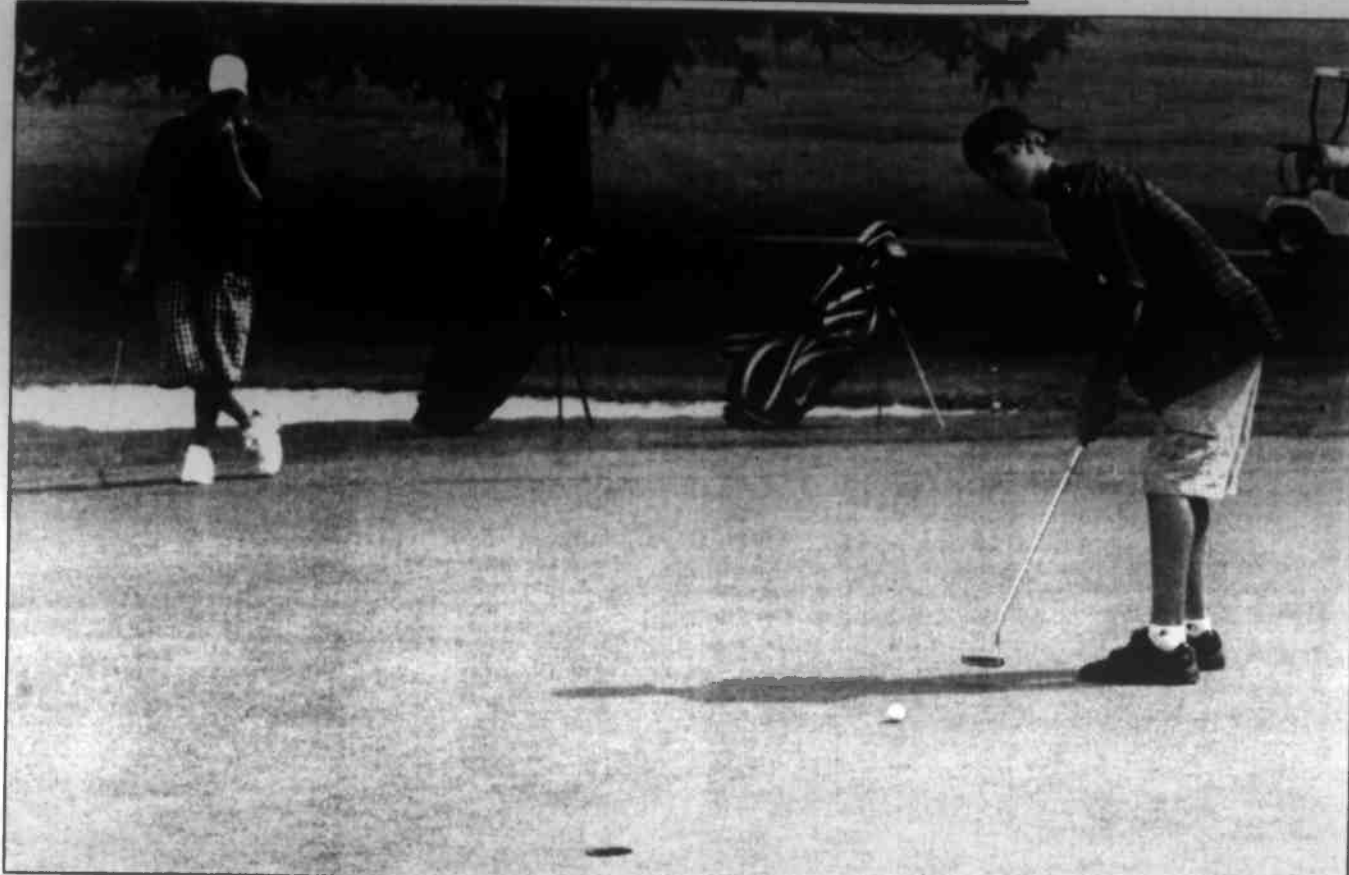
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**ON THE GREEN** — Northern's Zak Brosnihan putts in the Western Maryland Interscholastic League golf tournament at the Oakland Golf Club on Monday,

as Southern's Seth Fike watches. Southern placed first in the tournament, and Fike was a fourth place medalist.

### Ram Golfers Win '06 WMIL Championship

The Southern High School golf team carded a 344 in the Western Maryland Interscholastic League golf championships, played in Oakland on Monday, which gave the Rams the 2006 title.

Finishing just two strokes back was Beall, followed by Northern with 358, Fort Hill with 363, and Allegany with 445.

Pacing the Rams was Joe Albert, who shot an 83, while teammates Seth Fike, Derrick DeWitt, and Tyler Ewing carded respective scores of 84, 87, and 90.

Travis Bohast of Fort Hill and Tanner Nelson of Beall each shot an 82 for top scores of the day, and Bohast was declared top medalist after winning a one-hole playoff with Nelson.

Pacing the Northern Huskies was Ed Herpel with an 87, while Madison Martin was the top finisher for Allegany with an 88.

The results left Coach Dave Martin's Rams with an overall record of 21-6. They were scheduled to compete in a six-team tournament at Canaan Valley Resort yesterday, but that match was postponed because of rain. They are slated to compete against Allegany and Northern next Tuesday at the Cumberland Country Club, host Fort Hill and Preston next Wednesday, and entertain Keyser next Thursday.

### Former County Resident Earns PGA Membership

Matt Hill, a former Mtn. Lake Park resident, has recently completed the Professional Golfers Association (PGA) Professional Golf Management (PGM) program and was elected to membership in the PGA.

The PGM program was developed by the PGA to prepare apprentices for the growing golf industry. "It provides a wide array of college level training in all of the skills required of future golf leaders," said a spokesperson.

Hill, now the first assistant at Leisure World Golf Course in Silver Spring, began his career at the Oakland Golf Course working for former head professional, Wheeler Stewart. After working under Stewart for seven years, he spent two years in south Florida, and then returned to Maryland, where he has been working for PGA member and head professional Alex Lively since 1999.

"I owe a lot to these two individuals, as they have helped me advance in my chosen profession," said Hill. "I couldn't have done it without them."

While attending Southern High School, Hill placed 11th at the Maryland state high school tournament during his senior year. He continued to play at Garrett College, where his one year there produced a



**RAM GOLFERS WIN WMIL TITLE** — The Southern High School golf team captured the 2006 Western Maryland Interscholastic League championship, on Monday at the Oakland Golf Club course, with three members of the team finishing among the top six finishers (medallists). Pictured from left to right above are SHS golfers Adam Fitzwater, Trevor Messenger, Derrick DeWitt, Dan Hughes, Seth Fike, Joe Albert, Derek McDonnell, Ryan Martin, Tyler Ewing, Brady Donaldson, and Cathy Hughes. Not present for the photo were Mark Mattingly and Abbi Smith. WMIL medallists are pictured below. From left are: Ed Herpel, Northern, sixth place; Derek DeWitt, Southern, fifth; Seth Fike, Southern, fourth; Joe Albert, Southern, third; Tanner Nelson, Beall, second; and Travis Bohast, Fort Hill, first.



10th place finish in the NJCAA National Tournament and All-American status. Then he attended Fairmont State College, where after several individual tournament titles, he was named WVIAC Conference Player of the Year in 1996.

He and his wife Shelli, a physical education teacher and athletic director in Montgomery County, and their daughter Samantha reside in New Market.

### Women Golfers Meet For Day Of Flight Play

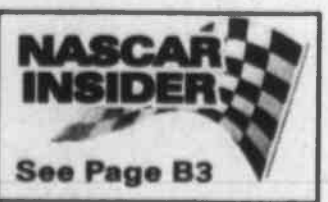
The members of the Oakland Women's Golf Association met for a day of flight play last Thursday.

June Bray earned low gross of 92 in the first flight, while Cheryl Albert recorded a low net of 80.

Second flight winners were Bobbie Seward with low gross of 99, and Fran Bell with low net of 72.

Winning low gross in the third flight was Becky Giotfelty with a 100, while Pearl Daniels carded a low net of 69.

Pam Trydahl won low gross in the fourth flight with a score of 119, and Sandi Hackman had a low net of 76.



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Thanks to Brigadier General Dale Schroyer for the arrangement of an Army tent for the memorabilia and to the 243rd Engineer Company from Cumberland, MD, for their services in putting up and tearing down the tent.



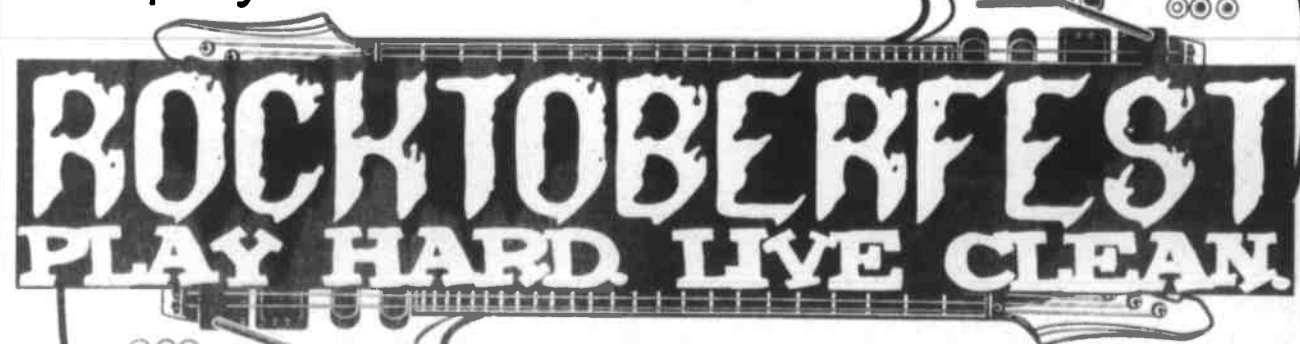
**CROSS COUNTRY SEASON** is well under way, as the Runnin' Rams of Southern High School and, for the first time in several years, a boys' team from Northern High are in competition. Southern hosted a multi-team meet at Broadford Park on Monday, in which Northern's Ryan Bowser set a new course record, breaking the previous mark by four seconds.

Below left is Southern's fastest runner on the day, Mike McConnell, who placed fourth overall. The photo directly above was taken just moments after the start of the girls' race. In the photo below right, Southern's Sierra Wassell (right) crosses the line just behind Alex Wagner of University High, Morgantown, to place ninth overall as the fastest female runner for the Rams. Both Southern teams placed third, while the Northern boys finished second. Photos by John McEwen.



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## Runnin' Rams Third; Huskies' Ryan Bowser Sets Course Mark

The boys' and girls' cross country teams of Southern High School both placed third in a multi-team meet which the Rams hosted Tuesday on their Broadford Park course.

University High of Morgantown coasted to victory in both races, with the girls taking five of the top six individual places to record 17 points, and the University boys recording 28 team points.

The Meyersdale High girls' team was second with 51, followed by Southern with 66, Westmar with 95, and Calvary Christian and Rockwood, Pa., both with incomplete scores.

For the first time in a number of years, Northern High School fielded a boys' team, and the Huskies captured second place behind University with 42 team points. Southern followed with 64, and Meyersdale and Westmar both had incomplete scores.

The highlight of the race was a new course record, set by Northern's Ryan Bowser, who finished with a time of 17 minutes, 4 seconds, which was four seconds faster than the previous record set by Beall's Dan DeWitt two years ago.

University's Amber Riley won the girls' race easily with a time of 21:02. Her teammates Jennifer Vander-sloot and Lydia Martinelli tied for second in 21:48.

Sierra Wassell and Jennifer Cosner were the top finishers for Southern, placing ninth and 10th, while Melinda Smith finished

14th.

Eric Morris of Westmar and Chris Cole of University were the second and third place runners behind Northern's Bowser, with respective times of 17:15 and 18:09, while Southern's Mike McConnell finished fourth in 18:46. Southern's next best finisher was Tim Preston, placing 18th.

The Runnin' Rams, coached by Steve Cosner (girls) and Jamie Beeman (boys), are slated to compete again this Saturday in the Mtn. Top Combo at Preston High School in Kingwood.

### Girls' Results

University (U) 17, Meyersdale (M) 51, Southern (S) 66, Westmar (W) 95, Calvary Christian (CC) inc., Rockwood, Pa. (R) inc., 1. Amber Riley, U 21:02  
2. J. Vander-sloot, U 21:48  
3. Lydia Martinelli, U 21:48  
4. Natalie Miller, M 22:13  
5. J. Stockman, U 22:25  
6. Hannah Vernon, U 22:41  
7. Natalie Wolf, R 23:08  
8. Alix Wagner, U 23:16  
9. Sierra Wassell, S 23:16  
10. Jennifer Cosner, S 24:20  
11. Melinda Smith, S 24:53  
12. Hannah Davis, S 26:57  
13. Kate Lucas, S 26:57  
14. Rachel Skipper, S 27:17  
15. Kaitlyn Swift, S 28:26  
16. Sarah Ketter, S 30:36  
17. Kelsie Umbel, S 30:59

### Boys' Results

University 28, Northern 42, Southern 64, Meyersdale inc., Westmar inc., 1. Ryan Bowser, N 17:04  
2. Eric Morris, W 17:15  
3. Chris Cole, U 18:09  
4. Mike McConnell, S 18:46  
5. Elliott Bennett, W 19:10  
6. Zac Cupler, N 19:15  
7. Eric Frohnapefel, U 19:39  
8. Julian Bernstein, U 19:47  
9. Adam Frohnapefel, U 19:49  
10. Ethan Elliott, U 19:49  
11. Elijah Lais, N 20:17  
12. Justin Beitzel, N 20:21  
13. Tim Preston, S 20:25  
14. Michael Clise, N 20:28  
15. Jordan Skipper, S 20:34  
16. Andrew Sauder, S 20:39  
17. Jimmy Sharpless, S 20:56  
18. Wil Herpel, N 21:07  
19. Pat Sisler, S 21:28  
20. Tyler Tasker, S 21:33  
21. Joe Bever, S 21:34  
22. Zac Beitzel, N 24:53  
23. Max Liller, S 29:25  
24. Seth Lewis, S 30:01

## Laker Women Still Looking For First Win

Still looking for their first victory of the season are the members of the Garrett College women's volleyball league, as the Lakers were topped 3-0 by Hagerstown Community College Monday in a Maryland JUCO Conference match.

Game scores were 30-11, 30-20, and 30-25.

Recording seven digs, three kills, and an ace for the Lakers was Julia Bosley, while Mindy Sharp had seven digs, six kills, and one block. Gabrielle Vera finished with four kills and an ace, Eugena Carson blocked five shots, and Dani Giotfelty was credited with eight assists.

Coach Ann Wellham's squad is now 0-7 overall and 0-2 in JUCO matches. The Lakers will play in a tri-match this Friday at Frederick CC against Frederick and Montgomery-Rockville. They will host Harford CC on Saturday, travel to Allegany College of Maryland next Tuesday, and compete at Potomac State College in Keyser next Thursday.

## Southern Girls' Volleyball Team Sweeps Northern

The Southern Rams girls' volleyball team swept Northern in three games, 25-11, 25-12, and 25-8, in a WMIL match at Northern.

Southern remained undefeated (3-0) on the strength of Adrienne Yoder's 19 assists, and Sarah Stephens' 14 points, five aces, and nine kills. Alex Barnard contributed nine points and three aces. Nicole Opel logged three service points for Northern.

In the junior varsity game, Southern took the match in two games, 25-10 and 25-19. Emile Lipscomb paced the Rams with nine points, three aces, and two kills, while Melissa Aronhalt added six points, two

aces, and two kills.

Chelsea Giotfelty led Northern with six points, while Courtney Humberson added four and Emma Bass had two points and an ace.

Southern will play at home this Monday against Beall, and Northern (0-3) will host Meyersdale this Monday.

## Rams' Volleyball Team Sweeps

### Alco, To Go 2-0

The Southern Rams' volleyball team swept Allegany in three games and boosted their record to 2-0 in a Western Maryland Interscholastic League volleyball matchup Monday at Southern.

In three straight games, the Rams outscored Allegany 35-9, 26-24, and 25-16.

Shayna Sweitzer led the Rams with 15 service points, Adrienne Yoder had 15 assists; Sarah Stephens had 11 kills and seven digs, and Paula Renteria contributed nine kills.

Justin Hoban led Allegany with 10 service points, two aces, and three kills.

Southern's junior varsity won its match by winning the first game 25-21, losing the second 25-15, and winning the third 15-5.

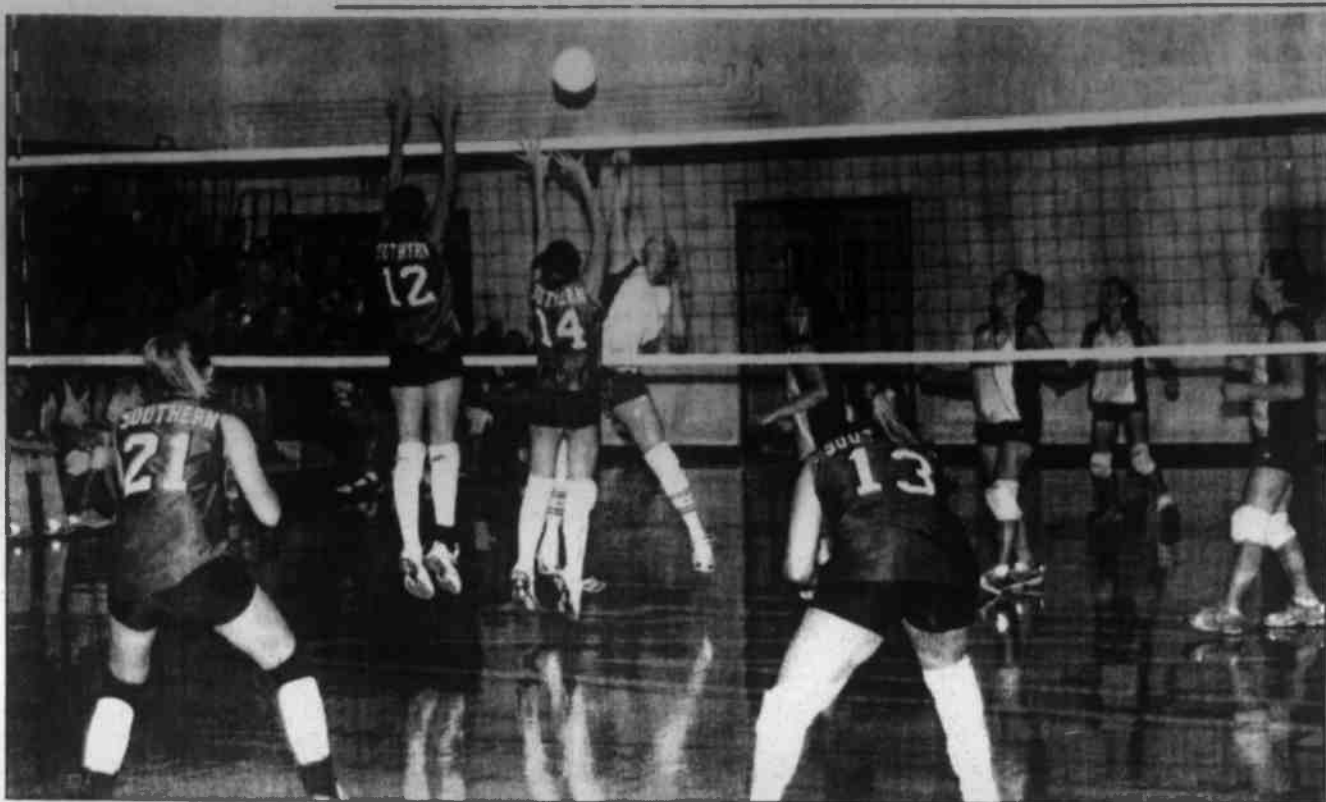
Southern's Tiffany Matthews had 12 service points and three aces, and Kaycee Ackerman had nine points. For Allegany, Stephanie Boswell had 14 points with an ace, and Emily Dordevic had seven serves, an ace, and a kill.

Southern had previously beaten Keyser 3-1 in its home opener on Wednesday, Sept. 6.

The Rams won the first game 25-17, lost the second 20-25, and won the next two, 25-22 and 25-12.

Sarah Stephens led the way with 20 kills, 18 digs, and four aces. Adrienne Yoder added 25 assists, Paula Renteria registered 10 kills, 11 digs, and three aces, and Shayna Sweitzer logged 10 assists.

Anshia Bevers led Keyser (1-1) with 17 points,



**SHS VOLLEYBALL TEAM SWEEPS RIVAL** - The Southern Rams girls' volleyball team improved to 3-0 as they swept Northern in three games, 25-11, 25-12, and 25-8, in a Western Maryland Interscholastic League match at Northern. Adrienne Yoder had 19 assists, and Sarah Stephens added 14 points, five aces, and nine kills. Alex Barnard contributed nine points and three aces. Nicole Opel logged three service points for Northern. Pictured above in the dark uniforms are Southern's Danielle Daniels (#21), Shayna Sweitzer (#12), Meghan Flinn (#14), and Yoder

eight kills, and four assists. Megan Webb added eight kills, seven points, and five assists.

Keyser's junior varsity beat Southern in straight games, 25-21 and 25-13, to win the match.

## Northern Girls' Volleyball Team

### Loses To Westmar

The Northern Huskies girls' volleyball team lost to Westmar 3-2 in a Western Maryland Interscholastic League volleyball matchup on Monday night.

The match was decided in the fifth game of the evening, when Westmar pulled past the Huskies for a 15-13 victory.

Westmar had won the first game 25-14, and the third game 25-11. Northern had wins in the second and fourth games 25-18 and 25-22, respectively.



Jessica Harvey had 19 service points, four aces, and 10 hits for Northern. Emily Sisler contributed 13

(#13). In white, Northern's Jessica Harvey (#4) hits the ball to the Rams' side. To Harvey's left are Husky backups Jackie Rodeheaver (#10), Danielle Brenne-man (#3), Emily Sisler (#2), and Hannah Sines (#11). Below, Southern's Paula Renteria (#20) smacks the ball as Northern's Leah Biser (#8, hidden) and Jessica Harvey (#4) defend. Other Huskies, from left, are Lindsey Wolf (#6) and Danielle Brenne-man (#3). Other Rams' players pictured are Sarah Stephens (#25), Danielle Daniels (#21), and Adrienne Yoder (#13).

points with three aces, and Jackie Rodeheaver added service points, three kills, 10 points, seven digs, 12 hits, and two kills.

Holly Williams had 23 service points, four aces, and 10 hits for Westmar.

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## Mark Teson New Assistant Coach Of GC Baseball



Mark Teson is entering his first year at Garrett College, where he will be heading up the developmental program as well as assisting the varsity baseball program in all aspects.

As an assistant coach at Frostburg State University for three years, Teson was the outfield coach and third base coach, and worked as a hitting instructor. In addition, he was the recruiting coordinator for the Bobcats.

Teson helped lead the Bobcats to an overall record of 84-44, a conference record of 37-11, three AMCC playoff appearances, two AMCC championships, and the university's first regional appearance in 19 years.

Teson began his collegiate career at Division II Dowling (N.Y.) College, recruited there by then-head coach Chris McKnight. In 2000, he appeared in 49 of 50 games and hit .275 with six doubles and a home run.

He then transferred to FSU in 2001 and battled a pulled hamstring to hit .296 with six doubles, two triples, two home runs, and 14 RBI. He led the team with 12 stolen bases and five outfield assists.

In 2002, he continued to improve, as he hit .305 with seven doubles and two home runs, and recorded 20 RBI from the leadoff spot. He again led the team with 12 stolen bases, and he tied for the team lead with 30 walks.

As a senior, Teson led the Bobcats to their third-highest single-season win total (31) in program history. He earned second-team All-AMCC honors after hitting .365 with 13 doubles, three triples, a home run, and 23 RBI. He led the team with a school-record 42 walks, scored 50 runs, and compiled four outfield assists. He also ranked second on the squad with 22 stolen bases.

He finished his career with a .324 career batting average, drew a school-record 101 walks, and was 45-of-54 in stolen-base attempts. His 126 runs ranks him third on the FSU all-time chart, and his 27 doubles are tied for seventh.

From Frostburg Teson went on to play professional baseball for the Kansas City

T-Bones of the Northern League. He received a bachelor's degree in social sciences from Frostburg State in 2004 and his master's degree in education this year.

"As a young fiery coach, Mark plans to bring a method to the Lakers that is based on hard work, determination, and class, both on and off the field," stated a GC spokesperson. "He will work with Coach Hallenbeck and the rest of the coaching staff to put together a team that will create a winning tradition at Garrett College for years to come."

## Bowling League Results Noted

### Week of September 5

**Standings:** 1. ~~Garrett~~ Truck Service, 2. CAM Construction, 3. Long Branch Saloon.  
**High Team Series:** Long Branch Saloon - 2703, Mt. Area Antiques - 2695, Beehighy Construction - 2688.  
**High Team Game:** Long Branch Saloon - 977, Mt. Area Antiques - 949, Mel's Truck Service - 917.  
**High Individual Series (Men):** Mike Chapman - 703, Jeff Friend (227 game) - 622, Reuben Collins (223 game) - 616.  
**High Individual Game (Men):** Mike Chapman - 299, Bob Fike (604 set) - 237, Jeff Mayers - 232.

### Senior Citizens

**Standings:** 1. No Idea, 2. Stop Overs, 3. Hot Dogs.  
**High Team Series:** Par-Matt - 1425, High Rollers - 1298, Hot Dogs - 1257.  
**High Team Game:** Par-Matt - 487, Git-R-Done - 460, Try Harders - 453.  
**High Individual Series (Men):** Larry Reckart - 516, Harold Murphy - 515, Bob Lancaster - 511.  
**High Individual Game (Men):** Harold Murphy - 208, Bob Lancaster - 204, Dick Gallagher - 190.

**High Individual Series (Women):** Nancy Giotfely - 525, Pat Fillingim - 452, Nellie Henken - 444.

**High Individual Game (Women):** Nancy Giotfely - 190, Nellie Henken - 173, Berntha Sanders - 172.

### Thursday Night Mixed

**Standings:** 1. Bears, 2. Ten Pin Men, 3. Monumental.  
**High Team Series:** Looney Toons - 2577, Ten Pin Men - 2569, Monumental - 2540.  
**High Team Game:** Looney Toons - 957, Mickey's Gang - 886, Ten Pin Men - 867.

**High Individual Series (Men):** Bob Sines (227 game) - 660, Ed Giotfely - 640, Quintin Guthrie (227 game) - 635.

**High Individual Game (Men):** Chuck Grove (611 set) - 279, Ed Giotfely - 236, Tim Upton - 235.

**High Individual Series (Women):** Lee Wilt - 530, BJ Riggelman - 522, Christie Dawson - 514.

**High Individual Game (Women):** Lee Wilt - 235, Christie Dawson - 211, Sandy Fitzwater - 203.

These 3 leagues started this week. The others will start next week including a new mixed league on Sunday.

The leagues are well populated, but there is still room for people wishing to join.

### BOWLING NEWS

**Wednesday Civic League -** Mike Chapman scored a 299 game, one shot short of a perfect 300. To make things even tougher, Mike started the night on lanes 7 and 8. After the fourth frame, lane 7 broke down and the teams were moved to



**BASS TOURNAMENT WINNERS ANNOUNCED** - The second annual Bill's Outdoor Center/Railley Mtn. Lake Vacations Bass Tournament was held Sunday. Winning the first-place prize of \$1,500 were Jim Lyons and Tommy Carder. Their catch totaled five fish that weight 14.6 pounds. The largest single fish weighed 4.39 pounds and was caught by Bret Winegardner and Tony Slovak. Pictured, left to right, are Carder, Lyons, and Justin Hershman, manager of Bill's Outdoor Center.

lanes 1 and 2. Mike picked up where he left off and filled strikes in frames 5 through 11. His 12th shot hit pocket, but one stubborn pin denied him a perfect game. To his credit, Mike finished the night with games of 220 and 184 for a total 703 set. Mike opted for a plaque to commemorate his near perfect game and will receive a watch for scoring 100 pins or more game over his average, a chevron patch for scoring 140 pins or more set over his average, and a lapel pin for his set total of 703.

**Thursday Night Mixed League:** Chuck Grove finished his three game set with a 279 game for a total of 611. A bowler scores 279 by scoring 11 strikes in a game, but the "one that didn't carry" is somewhere in the middle. Chuck will receive a chevron patch for a 250 or better game, a watch for 100 pins or more over average game, and a lapel pin for his set total of 611.

## Potomac Garrett Hunters' Shoot Results Noted

Potomac Garrett State Forest held its second annual Hunters' Special Shoot on Sunday, with a total of 31 archers shooting at a variety of 3-D foam targets. Top finishers are as follows:

**Cub** - John Wagner, 274, 8x.

**Traditional** - Richard Helmick, 253, 0x; Rich Skeweris, 207, 2x; Brian Friend, 176, 3x.

**Youth** - Jonathan Feaster, 241, 2x; Nathan Tichnell, 241, 2x; Barry Upole, 226, 3x; Shane Fazanbaker, 180, 1x.

**Hunter** - Adam Beeman, 280, 9x; John Feaster, 280, 3x; Gary Corby, 279, 6x; Jason Savage, 274, 4x; Anthony Crocco, 250, 2x; Jayson Harvey, 246, 6x; Bubba Friend, 243, 3x; Shawn Aronhalt, 197, 1x; Shane Aronhalt, 180, 2x.

**Open** - Greg Hipp, 283, 6x; Tammy Hipp, 282, 5x; Randy Tichnell, 274, 3x; Adam Heaver, 272, 7x; Dustin Dawson, 262, 2x; Bryan Nabb, 257, 5x; Gary Gregory, 253, 4x.

The staff at Potomac Garrett State Forest noted appreciation to everyone who supported the range this year. The archery range will remain open until October 15.

## Mountaintop Soccer Association's 2006 Season Now Under Way

The Mountaintop Soccer Association (MSA) recreational league's 2006 season opened Saturday with competition in all age divisions, under 6 (U-6), under 8 (U-8), under 10 (U-10), under 12 (U-12), and under 15 (U-15). The league consists of a total of 30 teams this year, with each team sponsored by a local business. There are approximately 335 area youth in the league this season.

Soccer matches are held every Saturday throughout October for all age divisions, and more competition takes place on weekdays for the U-10, U-12, and U-15 age groups. Referees officiate the upper three division matches as well, and scores are kept and reported weekly. (All referees are reminded to turn in their score reports to *The Republican* newspaper as soon as possible following the matches they officiate.)

The scores from the past week's matches are as follows:

**UNDER 10**  
Saturday, Sept. 9  
Get 'N Go Tornadoes defeated Uno's Thunder, 6-0.  
Railley Realty Lightning de-

feated Wood Products Hurricanes, 2-0.

**UNDER 12**  
Saturday, Sept. 9  
The Republican United defeated RPM Construction Revolution, 3-0.

**UNDER 15**  
Saturday, Sept. 9  
Fox's Pizza Den Blast defeated Pineview Veterinary Hospital Blazers, 5-3.

Watch Dog Security Rangers and Coldwell Banker Deep Creek Realty Jammers tied, 1-

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**Tuesday, Sept. 12**  
Fox's Pizza Den Blast defeated Cornerstone Family Medicine Spirit, 8-2.

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Against Susquehanna last Thursday, Lander won 6-4, 6-1 in singles, and teamed with Cathie Martinez to win in doubles, 8-0.

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Lander hit the 100-victory mark with her 6-1, 6-0 singles win against Juniata. She and teammate Natalie Jamieson won in doubles, 8-3. Elizabethtown won with another team score of 8-1.

Lander holds a collegiate career record of 53-5 in singles and a 47-11 mark in doubles play, giving her a combined record of 100-16. She will try to extend her winning streak this Saturday when Elizabethtown hosts Moravian College.

## Garrett County Fishing Contest Winners Named

The Garrett County Fishing Contest is sponsored by Deep Creek Outfitters Hardware and Bait House and the Garrett County

Chamber of Commerce. The winners for the week ending Sept. 9 are as follows:

Largemouth bass: 2 lbs. 8 ozs., 17", caught by Louis Capozzi, Pittsburgh.

Northern pike: 12 lbs. 12 ozs., 40", caught by Zenanna Hoffman.

Weekly winners are presented a certificate, and plaques are awarded for the season's largest catches of bluegill, brown trout, chain pickerel, crappies, largemouth and smallmouth bass, northern pike, rainbow trout, walleye, and yellow perch.

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## Politicians Point Fingers As Officials Sort Out Voting Mess

by Megha Rajagopalan and Erin Bryant

Capital News Service  
Misplaced electronic cards, untrained poll judges, and malfunctioning new computers helped make a mess of Tuesday's primaries in two of the state's largest jurisdictions. Officials spent much of Wednesday trying to sort out what happened, how to correct it and whom to blame.

In Montgomery County, where some polls opened more than three hours late because new voting machines would not work without electronic cards that were not delivered, County Executive Doug Duncan demanded that Gov. Robert L. Ehrlich fire the county's two top election officials.

In Baltimore, where many polling places opened several hours late because election judges failed to arrive, a spokesman for Mayor Martin O'Malley, Ehrlich's opponent in the November election, said the mess was due to the governor's "lack of oversight" and "incompetence." He called the election "a national embarrassment for Maryland."

For his part, Ehrlich blamed the Democratic-controlled state Senate for forcing the state to adopt complicated new machines without proper training.

"The overarching problem was that local election boards were required to implement a new, highly complex voting technology without sufficient time or training," said Henry Fa-

well, Ehrlich's spokesman.

Officials of both the local board of election and the state attorney general's office said they would investigate the problems in hopes of correcting them by November. But that gave little solace to candidates who as late as Wednesday morning still did not know whether they had won or not because of the slow returns from Montgomery County and Baltimore, which between them have about a quarter of the state's voters.

"It was nothing more than rank ineptitude," said Montgomery County State's Attorney Douglas F. Gansler, who Tuesday won the Democratic nomination for attorney general. "The Montgomery County Board of Elections has one mission ... and they blew it."

Polls in both Baltimore City and Montgomery County stayed open an extra hour Tuesday to make up for the delays. In some cases, paper provisional ballots were handed out, and after they ran out voters had to endure long lines or leave.

Duncan late Wednesday called on Ehrlich to fire Nancy Dacek, the chair of the board of elections, and demanded that the board fire Margaret Jurgensen, the director of the elections office.

Electronic errors in Montgomery County's new voting machines happened in part because the machines there had never been field tested, said Dacek. The board received the machines



**MONEY RAISED TO BUY SHINGLES FOR BILOXI** - More than \$400 was raised by students at this summer's Ecumenical Vacation Bible School in Oakland, with the money going toward the Shingles for Biloxi campaign. Sponsored by St. Mark's Lutheran Church of Oakland, in cooperation with the Social Ministry committee of St. John's, Red House, and the Accident Lutheran churches, the effort has resulted in the funds being forwarded for Katrina relief efforts in Biloxi, Miss. More than \$3,500 is being sent through Lutheran Disaster Response to purchase construction materials for rebuilding damaged and destroyed homes in the Biloxi area. Members of St. Mark's donated over \$1,700 to the effort, and then was able to secure an \$800 match from Community Lutheran Partners. Pictured are representatives from VBS as well as members of the contributing churches. In the front, from left, are Brian Kelly, VBS treasurer; Ariene Lantz of St. John's; Levi Lantz; Holly Shaffer, VBS teacher; Kathy Shaffer, VBS director; Joyce Anderson and Dabie Durben of St. Mark's; Katie Riggle; and Liz Rees Gilbert, also of St. Mark's.

only last week, and printers that had to be connected to the machine arrived only three days before primaries.

"Training 5,000 people on electronic poll books in less than a week is not possible," Dacek said.

She said hundreds of plastic cards needed to access the new voting machines were not sealed in plastic bags sent to Montgomery County precincts along with rubber bands and pencils.

In addition, some machines, which are supposed to quickly search for voters' names electronically so judges don't have to sift through paper cards, would overheat after five or six uses and need restarting, Dacek said.

Dacek blamed the Democrat-dominated General Assembly for the electronic machines arriving late. Because the courts struck down an early voting bill weeks before primaries, all money and work the Board of Elections had put toward implementing the measure was wasted, she said.

"Even the state didn't know what they were supposed to be telling us," Dacek said. "I give the poll workers all sorts of kudos and congratulations for doing what they did as well as they did."

In Baltimore, the complexity of the new electronic system may have been daunting for some election workers, according to Elections Administrator Gene M. Raynor, who guessed that this may have been why some officials did not show up at the polls.

"They saw the thickness

of the training manual and they thought 'Oh boy,'" Raynor said.

Most reports of no-show judging officials, particularly Republican representatives, occurred in Baltimore. Recruiting enough Republican judges has been an issue for 40 years, Raynor said.

Some Baltimore judges were not assigned polling stations until election morning which may explain absences across the state.

A spokesman for the Attorney General's office said it is a crime for judges not to show up at the polls, but said the Attorney General has no plans to prosecute anyone for that offense.

Raynor said that he was going to look into recruiting tech-savvy young people from local universities to work as voting judges and help ease the transition into the new voting system.

"The average age of an election judge is deceased," said Raynor, commenting that the older generation, himself included, often aren't as capable with computers.

Rick Abbruzzese, O'Malley's spokesman, said the governor should have made sure local election boards trained judges to properly use the machines.

"It will be an issue in this campaign," he predicted. There is no consensus how many people voted or how the errors affected voter turnout. Raynor estimated that Baltimore City had a 28 percent voter turnout on Tuesday, slightly down from the 32.5 percent in the 2006 primary. But he did not think that the new electronic system had deterred people.

Until all votes are counted, it will be difficult to say whether the glitches helped or hurt any candidate significantly, election

officials said.

The governor's office invited voters to call a hotline to complain about voting problems. 103 people called from all over the state, complaining primarily about machine malfunctions, Fawell said.

## Md. Gets A- For Preparing Teens To Succeed In College

Maryland received an A- in preparing students for college, one of six major categories analyzed in "Measuring Up 2006: The State Report Card on Higher Education," a series of reports on the state of higher education by the National Center for Public Policy and Higher Education.

The preparation category measures how well the state prepares students for education beyond high school through its system of pre-K through 12 education. Maryland has shown continuous progress in this category, improving on more than half of the indicators used to determine the overall grade since 1992.

"This report highlights what many of us in Maryland already know, that the quality of our public schools is improving through a focus on higher standards and more rigorous coursework," said Nancy S. Grasmick, state superintendent. "It also shows that we must continue our efforts to bridge the achievement gap, especially for those students who live in circumstances of poverty."

"Measuring Up" cited strengths in Maryland's pre-K through 12 education system, such as the performance of eighth graders on national assessments in writing. Maryland is the top-performing state in the

proportion of 11th and 12th graders who take and score well on Advanced Placement tests, according to the report.

Other categories in this report include participation, affordability, completion, benefits, and learning. These categories are all tied specifically to higher education.

## Available To

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extraordinary opportunity for us," he said. He explained that the program is planned to be done in one day, with teams of three or more at each school.

Glotfelty said he hopes to get 50% of the students vaccinated. "This is well suited for children, and is very effective and safe. We are hoping the parents send in the paperwork so their child can participate," he said.

"With FluMist™ we have a very safe and effective product that can be administered without the pain of a needle stick, making it much more acceptable to children," said Glotfelty. "School-based immunization can also protect other family members and reduce the spread of influenza in the community-at-large."

The first dose will be given on Oct. 24, and a second dose of the vaccine will be given six weeks later to students under the age of 9 who have never received a flu vaccination in previous years. Flu vaccine consent forms and information sheets explaining the benefits, risks, and side effects of the vaccine will be sent home to parents in the next several weeks.

According to Dr. Wendell Teets, superintendent, all the principals and health nurses are in support of the program. "We feel this is a great opportunity to help our students," said Teets.

Glotfelty said that the program was used in Carroll County last year, and Frederick County was used as the control county. He said Carroll County did not show the usual spike in influenza during that school year that Frederick County did.

To be eligible for the vaccine, students must be in good health and meet the following criteria:

- 5 years of age or older
- No medically significant chronic or long term illness or immune system problem
- No history of severe allergy to egg product
- Not receiving medicine containing aspirin
- No past history of Guillain-Barre syndrome
- No previous allergic reaction to nasal flu vaccine
- Not scheduled to receive any vaccines for the month following vaccination
- Not living with anyone who has severe immune problems because of bone marrow transplantation, intense chemotherapy or advanced AIDS/HIV infection.

Students who do not meet the requirements for nasal spray flu vaccination may be able to receive injectable flu vaccine from their health care provider or from the health department.

According to the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, this cooperative project will also provide important information on the ability of the local and state health care infrastructure to carry out large scale and rapid immunization programs if they are ever needed in the future.

Additional information about this project can be accessed by calling the

health department's FluMist™ Hotline at 301-334-7698. For information about this year's regular flu clinics, persons may call 301-334-7697.

Additional information about any of the vaccines is available at [www.garrett-health.org](http://www.garrett-health.org).

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## After 51 Years, Voters Give Schaefer A Stinging Defeat

by David J. Silverman

Capital News Service  
Refusing to admit that his 51-year political career was over, William Donald Schaefer nevertheless conceded defeat to Montgomery County Delegate Peter Franchot Wednesday after capturing just 30 percent of the Democratic primary vote in his bid for a third term as state comptroller.

With several of his supporters and staffers on hand for a press conference in Annapolis, the 84-year-old Schaefer said that "the best man won" and wished Franchot luck. With 96 percent of precincts reporting, Franchot's 36 percent of the vote narrowly topped Anne Arundel County Executive Janet S. Owens's 34 percent in an upset that was not decided until late Wednesday morning when totals from Montgomery County were counted.

Franchot, a resident of Takoma Park, will move on to the general election to face Anne M. McCarthy, the former University of Baltimore business school dean who captured the Republican nomination by garnering 43 percent of the vote in a four-way race.

In other races at the top of the ticket, a second Montgomery County politician, State's Attorney Douglas F. Gansler, soundly defeated former Baltimore City State's Attorney Stuart O. Simms in the contest to replace retiring Attorney General J. Joseph Curran, Jr.

He will face Republican Scott L. Rolle, Frederick County state's attorney, in the general election. Rolle and McCarthy will join the Republican ticket headed by Gov. Robert L. Ehrlich and his running mate, Kristen Cox.

Franchot and Gansler will run with Baltimore Mayor Martin O'Malley and his running mate, Anthony G. Brown, a delegate from Prince George's County, on the Democratic ticket. Neither Ehrlich nor O'Malley faced a serious primary challenge.

The comptroller's race dominated political news over the summer, largely because of Schaefer's own

erratic behavior and irreverent remarks, mostly directed at Owens. He called her "Mother Hubbard," made fun of her hair and suggested she was getting fat. He then blamed her for starting name-calling.

Franchot, trailing in the polls throughout the campaign, managed to stay out of the fray. "I just went right to the Democratic base and said, 'Please vote for me, because I share your values,' and I always got a great response back," he was quoted as saying Wednesday by the Associated Press.

Franchot also linked both his opponents to Ehrlich, and cast himself as the only true Democrat in the field. Owens, meanwhile, despite her lead in the polls, ran a low-key, at times invisible campaign until the very end, when Schaefer's continual bawling finally brought an angry response.

The defeat of Schaefer marks his first since he entered elective politics in 1955 with a race for the Baltimore City Council. His subsequent service as City Council President, four-term Baltimore mayor and two-term governor made him a political icon in the state and gave him virtually 100 percent name recognition.

But his stinging repudiation at the polls - he failed to get a third of the vote - was a clear message that he had stayed on the scene too long and that his colorful, unpredictable behavior had worn thin.

Wednesday, Schaefer said he had no regrets about his behavior. "If they think I'm ever going to change, and keep my mouth shut and try to be politically correct," Schaefer said to applause from his aides, his critics are wrong.

But Schaefer simply refused to answer directly when asked if he would ever run for elected office again, instead joking with reporters that he is mulling a bid for mayor in Ocean City. But more immediately, he said, he was concerned with going to lunch.

He said that when people reflect upon his career, he would want them to invoke two words: "he cared."

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Q: Ryan Newman won the first race of last year's Chase. Who won the second race?  
A: Jimmie Johnson won at Dover.

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## NEXT RACE

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Kevin Harvick (left) and team owner Richard Childress have enjoyed a successful season in 2006, prompting Harvick to extend his contract with Childress earlier this season for an additional three years. Harvick begins the Chase on a roll, having swept both Busch and Cup races last week at Richmond.



NASCAR

## Chasing two titles

Kevin Harvick has chance to claim championships in both Busch, Cup series

By RICK MINTER  
Cox News Service

There were times last season and earlier this year — when the NASCAR world wondered whether Kevin Harvick would be driving for Richard Childress Racing after this season.

Those thoughts have quickly faded. Harvick signed a three-year extension with Childress in May. And now, as the 2006 season enters its final 10 weeks, Harvick is enjoying the best of two NASCAR worlds.

He's running away with the Busch Series title. His victory on Friday at Richmond International Raceway was his sixth of the season, which, combined with his 18 top-five and 25 top-10 finishes in 28 races, adds up to a nearly insurmountable 619-point lead over runner-up driver Carl Edwards.

In Nextel Cup, he won Saturday's Chevy Rock & Roll 400 at Richmond, his third victory of the season. That put

him third in the standings for the start of the 10-race Chase for the Nextel Cup. Understandably, he's happy with the upswing in fortunes with the Childress team, which had just one Cup victory among its three teams in the past two seasons.

"I am proud of everybody just for the fact that we have turned everything around, and the performance of everything has been really good," Harvick said. "We have had a great year."

He seems to be enjoying his double duty this season, even though it has required some late-night flights between tracks hosting stand-alone Busch races on Saturday and the Cup races on Sunday. He did the same thing in 2001 when he won the Busch title while running all but one Cup race.

And he seems well aware that his phenomenal run in Busch is rare, especially considering that he has run up his impressive numbers while driving three different cars, two owned by Childress and one he owns.

"We have just had one of those years where everything has gone really well," he said. "The cars have performed really well. I happen to be driving cars and am around people who care. Everything has gone perfect."

"We have won a lot of races and fin-

ished in the top five and top-10 and led a lot of laps. It has been a lot of fun, and you know that it is not always going to be that way."

His second Busch title is almost a foregone conclusion. He's so far ahead with seven races to go that he could skip three events and still hold the points lead.

"Hopefully, we can close the Busch championship thing out here before we get to the end of the year," he said. "But the Cup championship, it's what makes our world go around. That is what we all want and what we all want to achieve. That is the main focus right now, to try to achieve that."

He's close enough to the top that people already are pondering the prospect of a single driver winning both of NASCAR's top titles in the same season.

"It is a challenge and obviously an inspiration to do something that no one has ever done before," Harvick said. "It adds a little incentive, not that we need any more incentive to win the Cup championship — to do something that other people haven't done and probably haven't even had the chance at."

"That is pretty cool. I am just proud to have the opportunity whether it happens or not."

## Rick Minter's

## OBSERVATIONS

Some key storylines as the Cup Series heads to New Hampshire:

NASCAR's 10-race, championship-deciding Chase for the Nextel Cup begins this weekend at New Hampshire International Speedway with five of the 10 berths held by Chase newcomers. The field also includes popular veterans Dale Earnhardt Jr. and Jeff Gordon, but the defending series champion, Tony Stewart, failed to make the cut. Here are some of the storylines heading into the Chase:

## Two for the show

Richard Childress Racing, which has never had a driver in the Chase, now has two Richmond winners Kevin Harvick and Jeff Burton — and they plan on helping each other give their owner his seventh Cup championship.

Harvick enters the Chase with momentum, having won three races in Cup and six in the Busch Series. He's also in position, with a 619-point lead in the Busch standings, to contend for championships in both series, but his primary focus is on the Chase.

"The most important thing is it's great for RCR to have both of our cars in there," Harvick said. "We're going to give it every-

thing we have. I know we've got a pretty good plan going in as far as cars and engines and things like that as far as what we're going to race. We'll just let it all hang out and see where it all winds up."

Burton, still winless this season, said he needs to pick up the pace in the final 10 races.

"I've got to do a better job of explaining what the car is doing so we can make the car better during the race," he said. "But I feel good. We're in. We've done a nice job."

## Youth movement

The 2006 Chase could be dominated by the youngsters. Denny Hamlin, the first rookie to make the playoffs, already has two victories. Kyle Busch, a sophomore,

has one and third-year driver Kasey Kahne leads the circuit in victories with five. All three have shown tremendous poise in the

Chase leading up to the Chase. Kahne overcame a 90-point deficit in the final two races to claim a berth. He gained the maximum 190 points by leading the most laps and winning at California, then made up the rest with a third place run at Richmond.

Hamlin had seven top 10s and a 15th place finish in the eight races leading up to the Chase, and Busch had five top 10s, including a runner-up run at Richmond, in the six races leading up to the Chase.

Kahne said the important thing for him is to be entering the Chase with momentum. "The biggest thing is we're running good," he said.

"Hopefully we just go out there, run good, be consistent, finish all the races and see where it puts us."

Hamlin, who has admitted racing conservatively in the races leading up to the final 10, seems full of confidence and ready to run hard every week.

"The field is set now, and we're ready to go," he said.

## Happy together

Hendrick Motorsports will have three of its four drivers in the Chase, something young Kyle Busch attributes to an increased level of cooperation between him and those of Jeff Gordon and Jimmie Johnson, who made the Chase, and Brian Vickers, who didn't.

"I think the biggest thing for us ... is the team meetings we've been having," Busch said, explaining that after practice each week, the drivers, crew chiefs and engineers sit down together and discuss what works and what doesn't.

"We've just been working that much closer together, and it paid dividends."

Gordon said team owner Rick Hendrick has been especially

motivated to have multiple entries after fellow owner Jack Roush placed five teams in the Chase last year.

"I know it was a real goal," Gordon said.

## Stunned by Stewart

There won't be a former Chase winner in this year's contest. Kurt Busch, the 2004 champ, has had an off year and dropped out of the Chase hunt after Bristol.

But the absence of Tony Stewart, last year's winner, is a surprise to fans and fellow competitors.

Matt Kenseth, who enters the Chase with the series points lead, said he was among those stunned to see Stewart miss the cut.

"I thought he was going to be the guy to have to beat for the championship again, for sure," Kenseth said. "They started off like that, then with (Stewart) getting hurt at Charlotte and having some other problems ... I didn't realize he was one of the guys having that much trouble."

Jeff Gordon, who missed the Chase last year, said he feels bad for Stewart, but thinks that he'll make good use of the final 10 races.

"I can absolutely sympathize with Tony," Gordon said. "It was just a constant burden, and it was tough. It only made it tougher when we didn't make it."

He said Stewart's team can start focusing on next season, as his team did last year.

## Rolling the dice

The debate continues over whether one bad race can doom a driver in the Chase.

Kenseth says no: "If you finish last in the first race of the Chase and have a good last nine — a good solid run in the top-five every week — you're still going to have a shot at the championship," he said. "You don't have to be perfect every race, you just have to do the best you can do every week."

Harvick says yes: "It's going to come down to not having a bad break or something going wrong," he said. "The guy who wins it is going to have 10 good weeks."

## History 101: A look back at one of the great owners

## Carl Kiekhaefer

By RICK MINTER  
Cox News Service

Sometimes in the NASCAR garage, when the talk turns to how multi-car team owners are dominating the sport, some old-timer will point out that the way Rick Hendrick and Jack Roush win today pales in comparison to the late Carl Kiekhaefer's string of success in the mid 1950s.

Kiekhaefer, who fielded cars only in 1955 and 1956, won an amazing 52 of the 101 races run during those two

seasons, along with two championships. His driver lineup included some of the sport's all-time best, including Tim Flock, Ponty Flock, Buck Baker, Herb Thomas and Speedy Thompson. And his Chrysler cars were meticulously prepared by the best mechanics of that era.

"He was the first of the big-time owners who understood the mechanical part," Richard Petty recalled. "He had the money to do whatever it took, and he was very, very determined. All he'd

ever done was work hard." Petty pointed out that Kiekhaefer was one of the first to have multiple teams, tow trucks, pit crews, crew uniforms and mechanics who specialized in certain aspects of car preparation.

"He'd see somebody doing something and find a way to do it better," Petty said. "He was really, really organized, and he won about everything there was to win."

Frank Mundy drove for Kiekhaefer in the AAA circuit, winning stock-car titles in that circuit in 1953 and 1955.

He recalled that Kiekhaefer had problems with then-NASCAR boss Bill France Sr. that led to Kiekhaefer leaving the sport while his teams were dominant. Mundy said he understood both sides.

"Carl kept France on the

phone all hours of the day and night, arguing about the rules," Mundy said. "He was an engineer, and he knew what he was talking about."

Mundy said France had to consider the long-term best interest of the sport, and that meant finding ways to keep Kiekhaefer and his Chrysler from winning most of the races.

Kiekhaefer pulled out of racing, but Mundy remained loyal to his car owner, retiring to become a sales manager for Kiekhaefer's boat company.

"Carl offered me a good job," Mundy said. "I'd put off getting one as long as I could."

Kiekhaefer, who died in 1983, has been inducted into several halls of fame, including the National Motorsports Press Association Hall of Fame in Darlington, S.C.

## NUMERICALLY SPEAKING

275 Consecutive career Nextel Cup starts for Tony Stewart (below) after Sunday's race at New Hampshire International Speedway



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11 Cup races at New Hampshire that have been won from outside a top-10 starting position.

8 Consecutive top-15 finishes at New Hampshire for points leader Matt Kenseth.

3 Drivers who have participated in all three Chases for the Nextel Cup (Matt Kenseth, Jimmie Johnson and Mark Martin).

## Catching up with ...

## Denny Hamlin

Rookie driver Denny Hamlin has become the first rookie to qualify for NASCAR's Chase for the Nextel Cup. He recently spoke with reporters, including Rick Minter of Cox News Service. Here is an excerpt of that interview:

Q: What are your thoughts on the mix of racetracks in the Chase?

A: I think there's a pretty good balance there. There are a lot of mile-and-a-halfs, but that's what we race on most of the time ...

The only thing it doesn't have is a road course, and we only race those twice a year, so I don't think it's fair to have it in the Chase.

Those are really good racetracks for us, [and] running those last seven races at the end of last year is really going to be a big benefit for us, having notes and something to go by.



NASCAR

Q: What are your thoughts on the role NASCAR plays on penalizing drivers?

A: I'm a big fan just like every one else of letting us police it and let us handle it ourselves, not necessarily in a physical manner. But if you've got a guy that does you wrong on the racetrack, he better realize he's going to get it right back. I'm more of a fan of letting us handle it because when you have NASCAR in it, it is going to be a judgment call. Most of the time it's right, sometimes it's questionable, so I say just let us handle it.

Q: How did testing diversity drivers for Joe Gibbs Racing get you to where you are today?

A: I was with a great team, Dean Motorsports, and we were coming off that great season of 25 of 35 races that we won.

Obviously Gibbs thought that we had good equipment, so they in-

vited us to come there and they were going to buy our equipment. They invited me to go there and help them pick out their new diversity drivers, which Aric Almirola was a part of that audition ... But they had ulterior motives, also, of bringing me to that test. I ran the cars good, really good times. Of course they were my own race cars so I'm going to run good. I was just joking around with those guys and asked if they had any test-driver spots available, and they said, "Well, we'll have something else. We'll call you in a few weeks." Just right place, right time, I guess.

Q: How big a benefit has it been to have veteran short-tracker and fellow Virginian Curtis Markham as your spotter this season?

A: [He] has kept me out of more wrecks than anybody could ... He does such a great job at what he does. I don't feel comfortable with anybody else on the radio.

There was one instance this year where we had a situation where I had to have somebody else spot for me just in practice and I was completely freaked out about it. Hopefully he's around for years to come.

## STANDINGS

## NEXTEL CUP

Following the Chevy Rock & Roll 400

1. Matt Kenseth 5,050; previous: 5
2. Jimmie Johnson 5,045; previous: 2
3. Kevin Harvick 5,040; previous: 3
4. Kyle Busch 5,035; previous: 5
5. Denny Hamlin 5,030; previous: 7
6. Dale Earnhardt Jr. 5,025; previous: 6
7. Mark Martin 5,020; previous: 9
8. Jeff Burton 5,015; previous: 10
9. Jeff Gordon 5,010; previous: 4
10. Kasey Kahne 5,005; previous: 11

**Matt Kenseth** has the lead as the 10-race Chase begins.

Cup next up: Sylvania 300, New Hampshire International Speedway  
TV: 12:30 p.m. ET Sunday, TNT

Busch next up: Dover 200, Dover International Speedway  
TV: 3 p.m. ET Sept. 23, TNT

Truck next up: New Hampshire 200, New Hampshire International Speedway  
TV: 9 p.m. ET Saturday, Speed Channel

## BUSCH SERIES

1. Kevin Harvick 4,460; previous: 1
2. Carl Edwards 3,841; previous: 2
3. Denny Hamlin 3,801; previous: 3
4. Clint Bowyer 3,615; previous: 4
5. J.J. Yeley 3,558; previous: 5

## TRUCK SERIES

1. Todd Bodine 2,624; previous: 1
2. Johnny Benson 2,470; previous: 2
3. David Reutimann 2,394; previous: 3
4. Ted Musgrave 2,380; previous: 4
5. Rick Crawford 2,323; previous: 5

## FOR THE FANS!



Donna Pope, Salisbury, PA, at a company picnic with Jimmy Spencer former driver in the NASCAR Nextel Cup Series. In the background are Delores & Jim Pope, Gaithersburg, MD

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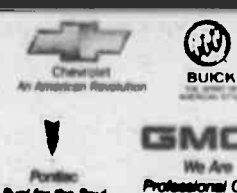
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# 4-H Club News

**COUNTRY EXPLORERS**  
by Katelyn Gnegy,  
reporter

The meeting of the Country Explorers 4-H Club was held on Sept. 8. Members picked up trash along Blue Ribbon Road and then moved into the meeting.

Reports were given on the Maryland State Fair and the Garrett County Fair. State Fair placements were: Eric Tichnell, 2nd in the senior computer contest, 2nd in the tractor operators contest, and 3rd in the bicycle contest (15-year-olds); Greg Tichnell, 2nd intermediate lawn & garden tractor

and 4th in bicycle (10-year-olds); J.B. Gnegy, 1st in the senior electric energy (he will now go to the national competition in Indiana the last of September); Katelyn Gnegy, 1st in intermediate computers and 2nd in bicycles (13-year-olds); Nathan Tichnell, 1st in intermediate lawn & garden tractor and 1st in bicycle (12-year-olds); Faith Tichnell, 4th in bicycle (9-year-olds); Mikail Perrine, 3rd in intermediate lawn & garden tractor.

Aaron Lantz got 1st in intermediate small engines and placed in meat goats, and Levi Lantz got 1st in junior computers and placed in meat goats. Aaron and Levi Lantz both won 1st in the photo challenge contest.

In the state welding contest, Catlin Carrico placed 2nd, J.B. Gnegy placed 4th, and Eric Tichnell placed 5th.



**COUNTRY EXPLORERS PARTICIPATE IN STATE FAIR EVENTS** - Members of the Country Explorers 4-H Club participated in a number of events at the Maryland State Fair, held last month in Timonium. Pictured above are members who competed in the state bicycle contest. Pictured left to right are Faith Tichnell, 4th place in the 9-year-old division; Greg Tichnell, 4th place, 11-year-olds; Nathan Tichnell, 1st place, 12-year-olds; Katelyn Gnegy, 2nd place, 13-year-olds; and Eric Tichnell, 3rd place, 15-year-olds. These competitors had to take a written test, a parts identification test, and an actual driving test. Shown below are Country Explorers members who participated in the engineering events at the state fair. The engineering events involved small engines, computers, and electric energy. Shown from left are Levi Lantz, 1st place computers, junior division; Eric Tichnell, 2nd place, computers, senior; Katelyn Gnegy, 1st place, computers, intermediate; J.B. Gnegy, 1st place, electric energy, senior (he will continue on to the national competition in Indiana); and Aaron Lantz, 1st place, small engines, intermediate. These members had to take a written test and a perform a demonstration. In order to participate in state fair engineering events, the members had to place first in the county fair events. Not pictured are the winners of the state welding contest. They were Catlin Carrico, 2nd place; J.B. Gnegy, 4th place; and Eric Tichnell, 5th place.



Members discussed National 4-H Week (first week in October) and are looking for ideas. Katelyn Gnegy is chairman of a committee to come up with ideas. There will possibly be some radio spots.

On Sept. 10, members participated in an archery shooting sports event at Potomac State Forest. 4-H Day at the 4-H camp is going to be held on Sept. 23. The registration for 4-H Day is due Sept. 19.

The livestock fall picnic at 4-H camp is Oct. 1, beginning at 1 p.m. Members interested in carrying signs again for the Autumn Glory Parade should contact the extension office. Beef cattle tickets are due back to Ar-

lene on Oct. 24.

The next meeting is Friday, Sept. 29, at 7:30 p.m. at Swan Meadow School. The program is going to be a 4-H record book workshop. Members are reminded to bring their record books.

## ELCA Women Hold Meeting

The Women of the ELCA, Zion Lutheran Church, Jennings, held their monthly meeting in the church on Sept. 6.

A new series of study, "Hope in God in Times of Suffering," was introduced. Session one, "Making Sense of Suffering," was led by Leota Baker. The principal objectives of the lessons were to discuss questions that the Bible raises about suffering, to share thoughts about God's role in the midst of suffering, and to become aware that what is said to a person during a time of suffering can be an invitation to turn to God or to turn away from God.

The study closed with the hymn "Lord of All Hopefulness."

Judy Stanton presided over the business meeting. Fourteen dozen washcloths were received during the "Washcloth Shower for Kane," and have been sent to the Lutheran Home in Kane, Pa.

Packages containing 27 sweaters, material for a quilt top, a pair of sweat pants, and a lady's coat were sent to Our Savior's Lutheran Church, Box Elder, Mont.,

as the church prepares for its Christmas give-away to residents on the Rocky Boy Indian Reservation.

Tribute to the memory of Norman Baker was made through a gift offering. This offering is being forwarded to Women of the ELCA, designated for the specific ministry - Rural Ministry.

## Blood Drive Set At Local Church

Zion Lutheran Church in Accident will host the American Red Cross bloodmobile on Monday, Sept. 18, from noon until 6 p.m.

"Blood donors are urgently needed," said a church spokesperson.

To be eligible to give blood, individuals must be at least 17 years old, weigh at least 110 pounds, and be in generally good health.

"Donors can safely give blood every 56 days," said the spokesperson.

## Foster Parent Training Slated

The Garrett County Department of Social Services will hold training classes for those interested in becoming foster parents. The classes will be held Oct. 2, 4, 9, 11, 16, 18, 23, 25, and 30 from 5:30 until 8:30 p.m.

For more information, persons may call Social Services at 301-533-3000.

## NHS Grad Enrolled At Elizabethtown

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# TV-PIPELINE

NBC don't want no 'Scrubs' ... for now

By Jay Bobbin  
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Q: My friends and I love the sitcom "Scrubs," and we're wondering exactly when its new season will start on NBC. —Molly Warner, Pottstown, Pa.

A: So are we. As it did last season, the network is hoping to hold back Zach Braff's hospital comedy from being a fall starter, saying only that the show will return at "midseason" ... so, technically, it could return at any time. If it's any consolation, weekday repeats from past seasons enter syndication this month for the first time, so you might want to check your local listings to see if a station in your area is carrying them.

Q: Who is the actress on "Angela's Eyes"? She seemed to come out of nowhere. Was she in something before and I just didn't watch it? —Gloria Edwards, Lantana, Fla.

A: Fans of the ABC daytime serial "All My Children" knew Abigail Spencer as that show's Becca Tyree from 1999 to 2001. The young actress also has appeared in episodes of such shows as "CSI: Crime Scene Investigation" and "Gilmore Girls."

Q: When will the sixth season of "Smallville" start? —Michael Karp, Rolling Meadows, Ill.

A: Fans should learn the fate of Clark Kent (Tom Welling) — last seen trapped in the Phantom Zone — when the young-Superman series resumes new episodes Sept. 28. Remember that it will be seen on the about-to-debut CW, which re-



Zach Braff

tained the show from the going-out-of-business WB Network.

Q: There was a recent question about "Ding Dong School" with Dr. Frances Horwich. Is that the same Frances of the children's show "Kukla, Fran and Ollie"? —Gordon Bowman, Pemberville, Ohio

A: No. That was Fran Allison, who was the human star between two puppets; the program began on NBC in the late 1940s, then switched to ABC in the mid-1950s.

Q: My wife and I are wondering if A&E Network will bring back "MI-5." We are hooked on it. —Bob Perry, Fitchburg, Wis.

A: The British espionage drama's fourth season just began its run with the first half of a two-part episode Sept. 15. The story concludes Sept. 22 in what evidently will remain the series' weekly slot.

Send questions of general interest via e-mail to [tvpipeline@tribune.com](mailto:tvpipeline@tribune.com). Writers must include their names, cities and states. Personal replies cannot be sent.

## Daytime Programs

**MORNING**

7:00 am **① ② ③** The Early Show  
**①** Good Morning America  
**②** **③** Today  
**④** To Be Announced  
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## Cable Conversion Guide

four TV	Cambridge Connections	Adelphia	Somerset / QCOL, Inc.
2	KDKA Pittsburgh (CBS)	KDKA-2 (CBS)	KDKA Pittsburgh (CBS)
3	Local Access Channel	(Info)	TNT
4	WTAE Pittsburgh (ABC)	WTAE-4 (ABC)	WTAE Pittsburgh (ABC)
5	WDTV Western (CBS)	WCWB-22 WB	ESPN
6	WJAC Johnstown (NBC)	WJAC-6 (NBC)	WJAC Johnstown (NBC)
7	WCWB WB (Warner Bros.)	CNN	TV Guide
8	WHAG Hagerstown (NBC)	WGN	WWPC Johnstown (FOX)
9	Trinity Broadcasting Network	WWPC-6 (FOX)	ABC FAM
10	WPGH53 Pittsburgh (FOX)	WGPT36 (PBS)	Spike TV
11	WPXI Pittsburgh (NBC)	WPXI-11 (NBC)	WPXI Pittsburgh (NBC)
12	WBOY Clarkburg (NBC)	WNPA-19 (UPN)	TBS
13	WOED Pittsburgh (IND)	WOED-13 (PBS)	WOED Pittsburgh (PBS)
14	WPCB40 Greensburg (IND)	QVC	Discovery Channel
15	Home Shopping Network	WPCB-40 (IND)	Disney Channel
16	WGPT Oakland (PBS)	Headline News	Arts & Entertainment
17	C-SPAN	HBO	PAX
18	The Weather Channel	Trinity	USA Network
19	TV GUIDE	Shop NBC	ESPN2
20	Celebrity Shopping Network	Hallmark	CMT
21			Food Network
22	WGN (Chicago)		WGPT Oakland (PBS)
23	Lifetime Television	HSN	WPCB (Wall, PA IND)
24	THC (History Channel)	EWTV	Outdoor Channel
25	ESPN Classic	CSPAN	C-SPAN
26	ESPN2	CSPAN	Turner Classic Movies
27	ESPN (All Sports Network)		The Learning Channel
28	Fox Sports Pittsburgh	PIN	Nickelodeon
29	USA	Lifetime	Lifetime Network
30	CNN (Cable News Network)	Arts & Entertainment	CNBC
31	CNN HN		Local Information Chan.
32	Great American Country	CNN	QVC Shopping Channel
33	Nickelodeon	Fox News Channel	Trinity Broadcasting
34	American Movie Classics	TBS	VH-1
35	The Discovery Channel	ESPN	Great American Country
36	Disney	ESPN2	Fox Sports Pittsburgh
37	Arts & Entertainment	Fox Sports Pitts	Game Show Network
38	TBS Superstation	TNT	Cartoon Network
39	ABC Family	FX	Sci-Fi
40	Cartoon Network	Animal Planet	The Weather Channel
41	CNBC	Disney	History Channel
42	Fox News	Nickelodeon	TV Land
43	Sci-Fi	History	WNPA (Johnstown UPN)
44	Spike TV	MSNBC	Home Shopping
45	TNT	CNBC	Outdoor Life Channel
46	FX	Country Music TV	Home & Garden
47	National Geographic	Fox Network	FX Network
48	MSNBC	VH-1	TV Guide Channel
49	Speed Channel	MTV	Speed Channel
50	Game Show Network	Weather Channel	FOX News Channel
51	The Outdoor Channel	Comedy Central	
52	TV Land	Learning Channel	
53	SoapNet	Discovery Channel	
54	The Golf Channel	Sci-Fi	
55	WE Women's Entertainment	USA	
56	Home & Garden Television	E!	
57	Comedy Central	Bravo	
58	The Learning Channel	HGTV	
59		Oxygen	
60		TV Land	
61		Cartoon Network	
62		Travel Channel	
63		AMC	
64		Court TV	
65	MTV	Inspiration	
66	CMT	Family Channel	
67	VH-1	PAXNET	
68	Hallmark Channel	Speed Channel	
69	Animal Planet	Outdoor Channel	
70	Food Network	Spike	Golf (QCOL only)
98		VH1	WCWB Pittsburgh 22
99		Showtime	

How It's Made  
 That's So Raven (Mon)  
 PHI of the Future (Tue)  
 The Replacements (Wed)  
 The 7th Heaven  
 Life With Derek (Fri)  
 Cold Case Files (Mon-Th)  
 CSI: Miami (Fri)  
 Seinfeld  
 7th Heaven  
 Xiacin Showdown  
 Special Report  
 Firefly (Mon)  
 StarGate Galactica (Tue)  
 StarGate Atlantis (Tue)  
 StarGate SG-1 (Fri)  
 The World's Wildest Police  
 Chases  
 Law & Order: Criminal  
 Intent (Mon, Wed, Fri)  
 Law & Order: Special Victims  
 Unit (Tue, Thu)  
 King of the Hill (Mon, Wed,  
 Fri)  
 That '70s Show (Tue)  
 Secrets of the Freemasons  
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 Air Emergency (Tue)  
 Naked Science (Wed)  
 The Voice of Hater (Thu)  
 Hunter and Hunted (Fri)  
 Tucker  
 Lucas Oil on the Edge  
 (Mon-Thu)  
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 Auctions (Fri)  
 Wanted: Ted or Altra (Mon)  
 Motorcycle Racing (Tue)  
 Fearless (Wed)  
 Hunting University (Thu)  
 The Good Times  
 Dharma & Greg  
 While You Were Out  
 Love-Crazed Celeb  
 Couples (Mon)  
 The '90s: Part Deux  
 (Wed)  
 The Flavor of Love (Thu)  
 5 pm Movie (Thu) "Com-  
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 11 ABC's World News  
 with Charles Gibson  
 11 CBS Evening News with  
 Katie Couric  
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 Nightly News with Brian  
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 11 The Simpsons  
 12 Home Improvement  
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 12 Mail Call  
 Around the Horn (Mon-  
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 The Fantasy Show (Thu)  
 ESPN Summer House (Fri)  
 The American Sports-  
 Center (Fri)  
 NHL Preseason Hockey (Tue-  
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 Zoey 101  
 How It's Made  
 The Life of Zack &  
 Cody (Mon, Wed-Fri)  
 The Replacements (Tue)  
 CodeName: Kids Next Door  
 (Mon-Thu)  
 Camp Lazlo (Fri)  
 King of the Hill (Mon, Wed-Fri)  
 Movie (Tue) "Green Mile"  
 11 Monster Jam (Mon)  
 Babe Wineman's Out-  
 door Secrets (Thu)  
 Dharma & Greg  
 Fabulous Life Of... (Mon)  
 The Newlyweds Breakouts  
 (Tue)  
 Love Tux (Thu)

## SATURDAY MORNING

	6 AM	6:30	7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30	12 PM
CBS	10/11/12/13/14/15/16/17/18/19/20/21/22/23/24/25/26/27/28/29/30/31/32/33/34/35/36/37/38/39/40/41/42/43/44/45/46/47/48/49/50/51/52/53/54/55/56/57/58/59/60/61/62/63/64/65/66/67/68/69/70/71/72/73/74/75/76/77/78/79/80/81/82/83/84/85/86/87/88/89/90/91/92/93/94/95/96/97/98/99/100/101/102/103/104/105/106/107/108/109/110/111/112/113/114/115/116/117/118/119/120/121/122/123/124/125/126/127/128/129/130/131/132/133/134/135/136/137/138/139/140/141/142/143/144/145/146/147/148/149/150/151/152/153/154/155/156/157/158/159/160/161/162/163/164/165/166/167/168/169/170/171/172/173/174/175/176/177/178/179/180/181/182/183/184/185/186/187/188/189/190/191/192/193/194/195/196/197/198/199/200/201/202/203/204/205/206/207/208/209/210/211/212/213/214/215/216/217/218/219/220/221/222/223/224/225/226/227/228/229/230/231/232/233/234/235/236/237/238/239/240/241/242/243/244/245/246/247/248/249/250/251/252/253/254/255/256/257/258/259/260/261/262/263/264/265/266/267/268/269/270/271/272/273/274/275/276/277/278/279/280/281/282/283/284/285/286/287/288/289/290/291/292/293/294/295/296/297/298/299/300/301/302/303/304/305/306/307/308/309/310/311/312/313/314/315/316/317/318/319/320/321/322/323/324/325/326/327/328/329/330/331/332/333/334/335/336/337/338/339/340/341/342/343/344/345/346/347/348/349/350/351/352/353/354/355/356/357/358/359/360/361/362/363/364/365/366/367/368/369/370/371/372/373/374/375/376/377/378/379/380/381/382/383/384/385/386/387/388/389/390/391/392/393/394/395/396/397/398/399/400/401/402/403/404/405/406/407/408/409/410/411/412/413/414/415/416/417/418/419/420/421/422/423/424/425/426/427/428/429/430/431/432/433/434/435/436/437/438/439/440/441/442/443/444/445/446/447/448/449/450/451/452/453/454/455/456/457/458/459/460/461/462/463/464/465/466/467/468/469/470/471/472/473/474/475/476/477/478/479/480/481/482/483/484/485/486/487/488/489/490/491/492/493/494/495/496/497/498/499/500/501/502/503/504/505/506/507/508/509/510/511/512/513/514/515/516/517/518/519/520/521/522/523/524/525/526/527/528/529/530/531/532/533/534/535/536/537/538/539/540/541/542/543/544/545/546/547/548/549/550/551/552/553/554/555/556/557/558/559/560/561/562/563/564/565/566/567/568/569/570/571/572/573/574/575/576/577/578/579/580/581/582/583/584/585/586/587/588/589/590/591/592/593/594/595/596/597/598/599/600/601/602/603/604/605/606/607/608/609/610/611/612/613/614/615/616/617/618/619/620/621/622/623/624/625/626/627/628/629/630/631/632/633/634/635/636/637/638/639/640/641/642/643/644/645/646/647/648/649/650/651/652/653/654/655/656/657/658/659/660/661/662/663/664/665/666/667/668/669/670/671/672/673/674/675/676/677/678/679/680/681/682/683/684/685/686/687/688/689/690/691/692/693/694/695/696/697/698/699/700/701/702/703/704/705/706/707/708/709/710/711/712/713/714/715/716/717/718/719/720/721/722/723/724/725/726/727/728/729/730/731/732/733/734/735/736/737/738/739/740/741/742/743/744/745/746/747/748/749/750/751/752/753/754/755/756/757/758/759/760/761/762/763/764/765/766/767/768/769/770/771/772/773/774/775/776/777/778/779/780/781/782/783/784/785/786/787/788/789/790/791/792/793/794/795/796/797/798/799/800/801/802/803/804/805/806/807/808/809/810/811/812/813/814/815/816/817/818/819/820/821/822/823/824/825/826/827/828/829/830/831/832/833/834/835/836/837/838/839/840/841/842/843/844/845/846/847/848/849/850/851/852/853/854/855/856/857/858/859/860/861/862/863/864/865/866/867/868/869/870/871/872/873/874/875/876/877/878/879/880/881/882/883/884/885/886/887/888/889/890/891/892/893/894/895/896/897/898/899/900/901/902/903/904/905/906/907/908/909/910/911/912/913/914/915/916/917/918/919/920/921/922/923/924/925/926/927/928/929/930/931/932/933/934/935/936/937/938/939/940/941/942/943/944/945/946/947/948/949/950/951/952/953/954/955/956/957/958/959/960/961/962/963/964/965/966/967/968/969/970/971/972/973/974/975/976/977/978/979/980/981/982/983/984/985/986/987/988/989/990/991/992/993/994/995/996/997/998/999/1000	10/11/12/13/14/15/16/17/18/19/20/21/22/23/24/25/26/27/28/29/30/31/32/33/											
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**SATURDAY AFTERNOON****SEPTEMBER 16, 2006**[illegible]**SATURDAY EVENING**

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**SEPTEMBER 17, 2006**

SUNDAY AFTERNOON								SEPTEMBER 17, 2006					
	12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30	6 PM	6:30
CBS	(12:00) NFL Today Host James Brown (Live)	(2)NFL Football Cleveland Browns at Cincinnati Bengals (Live)	(2)NFL Football Oakland Raiders at Baltimore Ravens (Live)	M&T Bank Stadium				(2)NFL Football New England Patriots at New York Jets (Live)	Giant Stadium (Live)				
WTAE	The Replacements	Personality Speaking With Monique (In Stereo)	Paid Program	Paid Program		Good Housekeeping's Makeover Miracles		** "Excalibur" (1992, Drama) Suzanne Somers A massive murderer brings an ambitious newswoman into a potentially deadly conflict with her husband.				News	Mid News Sun
NBC	(6)(7)Paid Program (11)The Little (In Stereo) (12)Apex	(6)(7)Paid Program (11)The Little (In Stereo) (12)Apex	(6)(7)Paid Program (11)Cops (In Stereo)	(6)(7)Paid Program (11)Star Trek: Balance of Terror (In Stereo)		(6)(7)Paid Program (11)Cops (In Stereo)	Ryder Cup Preview Kildare, Ireland (N) (In Stereo)	Sports of North America (In Stereo)		(6)(8)12/15-16 (11)News	NBC Nightly News Weekend Edition		
WBNS	Movie: Comedy Jason Schwartzman, Cont'd	Paid Program	Paid Program	Cold Squad "Deadly Games"		Stone Undercover For The Money (Part 1 of 2)	Felicity "Pilot" (In Stereo)	Angel "City Of In Stereo)"					
FOX	For NFL Sunday Pa Diners	Liquescence Teens OnQ	The Homecoming Tony Brown	John Denver: A Song & Commentary from Friends and Family		Japan: Memoirs of a Secret Empire	Beta Fleck and the Blackettes: Live	The Rest of Stars and Tones (In Stereo)					
PBS	To Be Announced	Andrea Rieu: The American Violinist Andrea Rieu performs in the Netherlands (In Stereo)	MLB Baseball Cincinnati Reds at Chicago Cubs Wrigley Field (In Stereo Live)	Tenth Home Innings		"The Deadly Love of Love" (2000) A woman's obsession with romance novels goes too far.	"Circles of Friends" (2008) Julie Benz						
WGNH	Home Videos	America's Funniest Home Videos (In Stereo)	MLB Baseball Cincinnati Reds at Chicago Cubs Wrigley Field (In Stereo Live)	Tenth Home Innings		"The Deadly Love of Love" (2000) A woman's obsession with romance novels goes too far.	"Circles of Friends" (2008) Julie Benz						
LFE	Movie: "Someone She Knows" (1994, Suspense) Markie Post, Cont'd	"My Stepmom, My Lover" (1997, Drama) A woman turns her nagging husband's love story into a comedy.	Modern Marvels "The Big House: Aerial Penitentiary"	X Games Carson, Calif.		X Games Carson, Calif.	X Games Carson, Calif.						
NSTG	(12:00) Wild West Tech	Baseball Tonight	The Contender	Billiards: Ultimate Pool Party - Semifinal		PGA Golf: 84 Lumber Classic - Final Round, Farmington, Pa. (Live)	Baseball Tonight (Live)						
ESPN2	Baseball Tonight	The Contender	Billiards: Ultimate Pool Party - Semifinal	PGA Golf: 84 Lumber Classic - Final Round, Farmington, Pa. (Live)		Baseball Tonight (Live)							
ESPN	NFL Countdown	The Contender	Billiards: Ultimate Pool Party - Semifinal	PGA Golf: 84 Lumber Classic - Final Round, Farmington, Pa. (Live)		Baseball Tonight (Live)							
FSP	Sports Talk	The Sports Update	Running: Rock n Roll Half Marathon	In My Own Words Chris Myers		Bowling Weber Cup '05 Beach Volleyball: AVP Las Vegas	PRIDE Fighting Championships						
TNT	NASCAR Pre-Race	NASCAR Racing: Nextel Cup - Sylvania 300 From Loudon, N.H. (Live)	Welcome to the Future	In the Money		CNN Live Sunday							
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HMC	Danny Phantom II	Thermyr Arnold	Nicktoons TV	Nicktoons TV		Nicktoons TV	Kappa Mikay	As Told by Ginger	Romeo! Amanda				
AMC	Movie: "The Enemy Below" (1957) (Cont'd)	** "Patton" (1970, Biography) George C. Scott, Karl Malden	Nicktoons TV	Nicktoons TV		Nicktoons TV	Kappa Mikay	As Told by Ginger	Romeo! Amanda				
TDC	Engineering	Kim Possible: So the Drama (2005) Kim Possible	Extreme Engineering Space Tower	JFK: Beyond the Magic Bullet (Part 1 of 2)		JFK: Beyond the Magic Bullet (Part 2 of 2)	Sister, Sister	Life With Derek	Emperor Zack & Cody				
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AEF	Movie: "The Firm" (1993, Drama) Tom Cruise, Jodie Foster	Kim Possible: So the Drama (2005) Kim Possible	Extreme Engineering Space Tower	JFK: Beyond the Magic Bullet (Part 1 of 2)		JFK: Beyond the Magic Bullet (Part 2 of 2)	Sister, Sister	Life With Derek	Emperor Zack & Cody				
TBS	Movie: Cont'd	MLB Baseball Florida Marlins at Atlanta Braves Turner Field (Live)	Studio B Weekend	Fox News Live		Big Story Weekend							
FAM	(12:00) Wife Swap	Wife Swap "Lasse/L Nazzano" (In Stereo)	Wife Swap "Fuentes/Rosen" (In Stereo)	Wife Swap "Alison/Hagerty" (In Stereo)		Wife Swap "Agure/Ray" (In Stereo)	Wife Swap "Bailey/Dennis" (In Stereo)	Wife Swap "Under the Tuscan Sun" (2003) Diane Lane					
TOON	Camp Lado	Codename: Kid	Grim Adventures Grim Adventures	Ed, Edd y Eddy		Cartoon Cartoon's Greatest Hits	Pokemon (In Stereo)	Pokemon (In Stereo)	Codename: GYM Partner				
FNC	(12:00) Weekend Live	Weekend Live	Weekend Live	Weekend Live		Weekend Live							
SCFI	Movie: Cont'd	"Village of the Damned" (1995) Evil children use mind control over a small town's adults.	** "Revelation" (2001) Terrence Stamp. A billionaire sends his son on a hunt for an ancient relic.	** "The Prophecy III" (1998) Fox News resurfaces archangel Gabriel to renew the war on man.		** "The Prophecy III" (1998) Fox News resurfaces archangel Gabriel to renew the war on man.							
USA	Truckin' (In Stereo)	Disorderly Conduct: Video on Patrol	Star Trek: The Next Generation "Angel One"	Star Trek: The Next Generation "1100101"		Star Trek: The Next Generation (In Stereo)	Video Justice: Crime Caught on Tape!	Video Justice: Crime Caught on Tape!					
FX	(12:00) Monk	** "Fast Times at Ridgemont High" (1982) California teenagers enjoy mads, sex and rock n roll.	** "American Pie 2" (2001) Friends rent a summerhouse on Lake Michigan and chase girls.	** "Crucial Intentions" (1999) Robin Duke. Wicked stepbrother gets a head start on a hunt for pre-school.		** "Crucial Intentions" (1999) Robin Duke. Wicked stepbrother gets a head start on a hunt for pre-school.							
NGEO	Tools of the Trade	Garbage Mountain Hunter and Hunted Shadow Slakers	Hunter and Hunted "Shark Invasion"	Hunter and Hunted "Ambush"		Hunter and Hunted "Ambush"							
MSNBC	MSNBC News Live	MSNBC News Live	MSNBC News Live	MSNBC News Live		MSNBC News Live	Headliners & Legends: Laurencia Benemek	Headliners & Legends: John Walsh	Meet the Press				
SPEED	7 Days	Mercedes Test Drive Mercedes Benz AMG	Cars at Carlisle	Cars at Carlisle		Motorcycle Racing: MotoGP World Champ	Motorcycle Racing: MotoGP World Champ	Auto Racing: World of Outlaws					
OUTDR	Phantasies Forever	Bentley's Bill Dance Hunter Outdoors	RV Touring Match Rating	Killer Instinct		Strongman	Strongman	Cycling Vuelta a Espana					
TVL	The Winner's Company	The Winner's Company	The Winner's Company	The Winner's Company		The Winner's Company	The Winner's Company	The Winner's Company					
WE	** "The Paper" (1994, Drama) Michael Keaton, Glenn Close	** "The Paper" (1994, Drama) Michael Keaton, Glenn Close	** "The Paper" (1994, Drama) Michael Keaton, Glenn Close	** "The Paper" (1994, Drama) Michael Keaton, Glenn Close		** "The Paper" (1994, Drama) Michael Keaton, Glenn Close	** "The Paper" (1994, Drama) Michael Keaton, Glenn Close	** "The Paper" (1994, Drama) Michael Keaton, Glenn Close					
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WGNH	Movie: Cont'd	MLB Baseball Florida Marlins at Atlanta Braves Turner Field (Live)	Studio B Weekend	Fox News Live		Big Story Weekend							
TLC	Trading Beauty	Home Made Made	The New Detectives "The Unfortunate"	The New Detectives "Deadly Am"		The New Detectives "Deadly Am"	The New Detectives "Deadly Am"	The New Detectives "Deadly Am"					
VH1	The Flavor of Love (In Stereo)	America's Next Top Model (In Stereo)	America's Next Top Model (In Stereo)	America's Next Top Model (In Stereo)		America's Next Top Model (In Stereo)	America's Next Top Model (In Stereo)	America's Next Top Model (In Stereo)					

**SEPTEMBER 18, 2006**

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# Church Calendar

## APOSTOLIC

**Apostolic Church of Oakland.** Rev. Aaron Phillips, Pastor. SS 10 am; Wor. 11 am; Bible Study Wed. 7 pm.

## ASSEMBLY OF GOD

**Cornerstone Assembly of God, US 219, Boynton, Pa.** Pastor Thomas Twigg Jr., 814-662-4235. SS 9:30 am; Wor. 10:30 am; Sun. eve. ser. 6 pm; Wed. fam. night & Bible study 7 pm.

**Crellin Assembly of God, Rev. Bruce Craig, Pastor.** SS 9:45 am; Wor. 10:45 am and 6 pm; Prayer meet. Mon. 7 pm; Prayer and Bible study, Missionettes and Royal Rangers, PowerSource Youth Minist., Wed. 7 pm.

**Glendale Assembly of God Church, David P. Goldizen, Pastor.** SS 10 am; evening Wor. 6 pm; Thurs. evening wor. 7 pm.

**Good Tidings Assembly of God, Location Rd., St. George, WV.** Iris V. Skipper, Pastor. SS 10 am; Wor. 7 pm & Fri. 7:30 pm; Cottage Prayer Meet. Tues. 7:30 pm.

**Hiway Assembly of God, Rt. 38, Kitzmiller, Rev. Gail K. Hixon, Pastor.** SS 10 am; Sun. eve. ser. 6 pm; Wed. night ser. 7 pm.

**Kitzmiller Assembly of God, Rev. Lee R. Robertson, Pastor.** SS 10 am; Wor. 11 am; Eve. Wor. 7 pm; Prayer & Praise ser. Wed. 7 pm.

**Lakeview Assembly of God, Rev. Robert W. Collette Sr., Pastor.** SS 9:30 am; Wor. 10:30 am; Evang. ser. Sun. 6:30 pm; Bible Study Wed. 7 pm.

**Maple Grove Assembly of God, Horse Shoe Run, WV, Robert J. Klier, Pastor.** SS 9:30 am; Fam. Wor. 10:30 am and 7 pm; Wed. 6 pm youth; 7 pm Bible study.

**Maranatha Assembly of God, 176 Springs Rd., Grantsville, 301-895-5300.** Rev. William K. Ferguson, Interim Pastor. SS 9:30 am; Sun. Worship 10:30 am & 6 pm.

**Mt. Top Christian Assembly, Rt. 135, Mtn. Lake Park, Rev. Daniel Winters, SS 9:30 am; Wor. and Kids C.A.V.E. 10:30 am; Living Word Youth Ministry and Evang. ser. 6 pm; Wed. Bible Study and Missionettes 7 pm; Choir 8 pm.**

**Rocky DREAM Assembly of God, Bray School Rd., Rev. William C. Skipper, Pastor.** SS 9:45 am; Wor. 10:45 am & 7 pm; Wed. ser. 7 pm.

**Terra Alta Assembly of God, Rev. Robert Travis, Pastor.** SS 10 am; Wor. & Child's Church 11 am; Evang. ser. 7 pm; Adult Bible Study & Youthser Wed. 7 pm.

**Walnut Bottom Assembly of God, Rev. George Tichnell, SS 10 am; evening Wor. 6 pm and Wed. 7 pm.**

## BAPTIST

**Deep Creek Baptist Church, Don Wilson, Pastor.** SS 9:45 am; Wor. ser. 11 am and 6 pm; Bible Study & Prayer Wed. 7 pm.

**Fernside Baptist Church, Rt. 219, 3 mi. N. of Oakland, Child's SS 9 am; Wor. ser. 10 am.**

**Harvest Baptist Church, off Rt. 495, Jennings Rd., Alan Birkby, Pastor, phone, 301-895-5556.** SS 9:30 am; Wor. 10:30 am; Wed. Prayer & Bible Study 7 pm.

**Little Meadows Baptist Church, Chestnut Ridge Rd., Grantsville, Pastor Rick High, 301-895-4200.** SS 9:30 am; Wor. 10:45 am & 6 pm; Bible study Wed. 7 pm.

**Mtn. Lake Independent Baptist Church, 1005 Broadford Rd. Dennis L. Leatherman, Pastor.** www.mlb.org. SS 9:45 am; Wor. ser. 10:45 am & 7 pm & Wed. 7 pm.

**New Testament Baptist Church, 710 Dung Hill Rd., Grantsville, 301-895-4001, Tony Wilburn, Pastor.** SS 10 am; Worship 11 am and 7 pm; Wed. Eve. Bible study 7:30 pm.

**Pleasant View Baptist Church, 2 mi. S. of Oakland, Rt. 219, Wally Weeks, Pastor.** Mark Weeks, Pastor. 301-334-8515. Sun. Wor. 10:15 am; Bible Study 9 am; Family Minist. Wed. 6 pm.

**Rush Baptist Church, 1985 Old Morgantown Rd. West, near Friendsville, Rev. Ray Perkins, Pastor.** SS 9:45 am; Wor. 11 am.

**Victory Baptist Church, 3 miles W. of Oakland, Rt. 39, near Crellin, SS 10 am; Wor. 11 am & 7 pm & Wed. 7 pm.**

## BRETHREN

**Asher Glade Church of the Brethren, Rt. 42, N. of Friendsville, Edwin Moore, Pastor.** 1-724-425-9792. SS 10 am; Wor. 11 am.

**Bear Creek Church of the Brethren, Brethren Church Rd., Accident, Pastor Kevin Staggs.** SS 9:30 am; Wor. 10:30 am.

**Bethesda Church of the Brethren, Rt. 495, Grantsville, Carroll Junkins, Pastor.** SS 9:30 am; Wor. ser. 10:30 am.

**Brookside Church of the Brethren, Rev. Sam Moon, Pastor.** SS 10 am; Wor. 11 am.

**Cherry Grove Church of the Brethren, 3992 Chestnut Ridge Rd., Grantsville, Tom Wegman, Pastor.** 814-662-9311. SS 9:30 am; Wor. ser. 10:30 am.

**Fairview Church of the Brethren, 4 mi. off Rt. 50, David C. Moon, Pastor.** SS 10 am; Wor. 11 am.

**Gortner Union Church of the Brethren-Mennonite, Rev. Steven Sauder, Pastor.** SS 9:30 am; Wor. ser. 10:30 am.

**Grace Brethren Church, 3 mi. S. of Accident on Bumble Bee Rd. SS 10 am; Wor. 11 am.**

**Laughlin Church of the Brethren, Amish Rd., Grantsville, Pastor Mark Durst.** SS 9:30 am; Wor. 10:30 am.

**Laurel Glen Church of the Brethren, Old Mill Rd., Cranesville, Berma and Carol Yerkey, Pastors.** SS 10 am; Wor. 11 am.

**Maple Grove Church of the Brethren, Maple Grove Rd. Worship 10:30 am.**

**Maple Spring Church of the Brethren, Rev. Glenn Nissly, Pastor.** SS 10 am; Wor. 10:45 am.

**Markleysburg Church of the Brethren, Main St., Markleysburg, Pa., 724-329-8155.** SS 10 am; Worship 11 am.

**Mt. Grove Church of the Brethren, Rev. Curtis Ketterman, Pastor.** Wor. ser. 10:30 am.

**Oak Grove Church of the Brethren, Sang Run Rd., Pastor Philip Matthews, 301-334-1248; church 301-387-7502.** SS 10 am; Wor. 11 am.

**Oak Park Church of the Brethren, 110 Church Lane, Oakland, Rev. Mel Menker, Pastor.** 301-334-2243. SS 9:30 am; Wor. 8:15 & 10:30 am.

**Pine Grove Church of the Brethren, Swallow Falls, Don Matthews, Interim Pastor.** SS 10 am; Wor. 11 am.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**

**Oakland Church of Christ, 1300 Memorial Dr., Oakland, 301-334-1501.** SS 9:30 am; Wor. 10:30 am & 6 pm & Wed. 7 pm.

**EPISCOPAL**

**Emmanuel Episcopal Church, 301 S. Mineral St., Keyser, WV, 304-788-4475.** The Rev. J. Mackov, Rector. Holy Euch. & sermon 10 am; Sun.; Wed. Healing ser. 10:30 am.

**Our Father's House, Rt. 135 at Altamont, Worship Service Sun., 10 am June 25 through Labor Day.**

**St. John's Episcopal Church, Rev. Chip Lee, Rt. 135, Deer Pk. SS & Holy Euch. 9 am.**

**St. Michael's Episcopal Church, 107 McDonald St., Kingwood, WV, Rev. Alan Jenks, Vicar.** Holy Euch. ser. 10 am.

**EVANGELICAL FREE**

**Faith Evangelical Free Church, 1009 MD Hwy., Mtn. Lake Pk., 301-334-4172.** Rev. David R. Martin, SS 9:30-10:30 am; Wor. ser. 10:45 am; Pioneer Club during sch. yr. Wed. Jr. & Sr. High 6:45-8 pm at Loch Lynn Community Building.

**GOSPEL CHURCH**

**Full Gospel Church, Blaine, WV, Rev. George Tichnell, Pastor.** SS 10 am; Sun. Night ser. 7 pm; Wed. Bible study 7 pm.

**Independent Full Gospel Revival Center, Loch Lynn Hts. SS 10 am; Wor. ser. 6 pm; Wed. Wor. ser. 6:30 pm.**

**Savage River Full Gospel Church, Rev. Charles Braithwaite, Pastor.** SS 10 am; Sun. ser. 6:30 pm; Wed. ser. 7 pm.

**CHURCH OF GOD**

**Bayard Church of God, Bayard, WV, Rev. William McCallister, Pastor.** SS 10 am; Wor. ser. 11 am; Sun. & Wed. ser. 6:30 pm; Prayer meet. Thurs. 6 pm.

**The Church of God of Prophecy, 25 Back Street, Deer Park, 301-533-3227.** John Osborne, Pastor. SS 10 am; mom. wor. 11 am; eve. wor. 7 pm; Wed. eve. ser. 7 pm.

**Fresh Fire Church of God, Rt. 219 & Rt. 50, 301-334-6500.** Tom & Sandy McGinnis, pastors. SS 10 am; Sun. Wor. 11 am & 7 pm. Prayerserv. Tues., 7 pm.

**Gorman Church of God, at 7301 Glen Hwy., Oakland, 301-334-4110.** William Rhodes, pastor. SS 10 am; Church ser. 11 am; Eve. ser. 6 pm; Tues. Bible study 7 pm.

**Jennings Church of God,**

# First Steps



Have you ever watched a baby learning to walk? His first steps are hesitant. He often falters, but slowly gains more confidence. Soon, mom can no longer keep up.

The first steps of spiritual growth are like this, too. Our faith, at first, is quite uncertain, but as we become more certain of God's love, we gain more confidence. Soon our faith plays a part in every decision we make. Faith in God becomes the guiding principle of our whole life.

You can help others take their first step toward God. Help them understand that God can make a difference in their lives, too. Invite a friend to visit your church or synagogue with you. Proverbs 13:20 says, "He who walks with the wise grows wise." We can support each other by joining together in worship.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Psalm 37	Psalm 39	Psalm 49	Psalm 139	1 Corinthians 1:18-31	1 Corinthians 2:1-16	1 Corinthians 3:1-23

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**Loch Lynn Church of God, Rev. Ivan and Cindy Ackerman, Pastors.** SS 9:45 am; Wor. 8 & 11 am and 6 pm; Wed. service 7 pm.

**Sand Spring Church of God, Fessler Rd., Friendsville, 301-746-5675.** Nevin Umbel, Int. Pastor. SS 9 am; Wor. ser. 10:15 am; Bible Study Wed. 7 pm; Women's Minist. 1st Wed. 10 am Choir practice Wed. 6 pm.

**INDEPENDENT**

**Creation for Christ Min., 301-334-3133.** Rt. 219 S. Glens Dumire, Pastor. Sun. Wor. 7:30 pm; Wed. prayer meet. 7:30 pm.

**First Christian Church, Friendsville, Galen Beitzel, Evang.** SS 10 am; Wor. & Comm. 11 am.

**Freedom Chapel, Bear Creek Rd. near Friendsville, Pastor Phil Smith, 301-746-5172.** SS 10 am; Wor. ser. 11:15 am; Bible study Tues. eve. 6 pm.

**Grace Bible Church, 2809 Garrett Hwy., Accident, Larry Glatfelter, Pastor.** 301-746-8605. SS 10 am; Wor. ser. 11 am & 7:00 pm; Prayer Meet & Bible study Wed. 7:30 pm.

**House of Love, 114 S. Second St., Oakland, (Entry at rear of building) Pat Malone, 301-707-0272.** Sun. wor. 10 am.

**Mercy Chapel, Pastor Daymond Schrupp, 902 Mill Run Rd. 5 mi. N. of Friendsville.** Wor. ser. Sun. 10:30 am. Bible study.

**New Life Christian Church, Rev. Roger Kitzmiller, Pastor.** 3 mi

**JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES**

**Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses, 325 Weber Rd., Oakland, 301-334-8301.** Delmus Evans presiding. Sun. 10 am Public lecture, 10:50 am Watchtower study, Tues. 7:30 pm Bible study, Thurs. 7:30 pm Ministry School, 8:25 pm Service meeting

**LATTER DAY SAINTS**

**The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, 1022 John Dr., Oakland, Contact Gary Gallaway, home 304-259-5565; office 301-334-9552.** Sacrament meet. 10 am

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III, Pastor. St. John's, Cove, Wor. 8:30 am; SS 9:30 am; Grace, Friendsville, SS 9 am; Wor. 9:45 am; St. Paul's, Accident, SS 9:30 am; Wor. 11 am.

**Bittinger Lutheran Parish, Donald Thomas, Interim Pastor.** 301-245-4202. St. John's, Meadow Mt., Wor. 8:45 am; Emmanuel, Bittinger, Wor. 10 am; SS 8:45 am; Zion, Jennings, Wor. 11:30 am.

**Christ Lutheran Church, 180 Main St., Grantsville, David E. Fetter, Pastor.** Wor. ser. 8:30 am; Holy Euch. 9:15 & 10:15.

**Evangelical Lutheran Church, 2706 Greenville Rd., Meyersdale, Pa. David E. Fetter, Pastor.** Wor. ser. 11 am; SS 10 am; Holy Euch. 9:10 & 10:8.

**St. John's Lutheran Church, 104 Union St., Salisbury, Pa. David E. Fetter, Pastor.** Wor. ser. 9:45 am; SS 11 am; Holy Euch. 9:30 & 10:1.

**St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church, (LCMS), 1065 Cove Rd., Accident, 301-746-8466.** Rev. Douglas Kabeil, Pastor. Trad. wor. 9 am; Cont. wor. 11 am; SS & Bible cl. 10 am.

**St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Red House, supply pastor, phone 301-334-4778.** SS 9:45 am; Wor. ser. 11 am.

**St. Paul's Lutheran, Aurora, WV Wor. ser. 9:30 am; SS 8:45 am.** St. Mark's Lutheran Church, 6 S. Second St., Oakland, 301-334-2668, Rev. Dr. C. Scott Robinson, pastor. SS 9:45 am; Wor. ser. 10:45 am; Wed. Adult forum 6:15 pm. Evening Wor. 7 pm.

**Shepherd of the Hills Lutheran Church, 19741 Garrett Hwy., (at Garrett 8 Cinemas), 301-387-0400.** Wor. ser. 9:30 am; SS 10:45 am.

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**Cherry Glade Mennonite Church, 4 mi. E. of Accident on Accident-Bittinger Rd., Barry Maust, Pastor; Titus Beitzel and Danny Tice, Assoc. Pastors.** SS 9:30 am; Wor. ser. 10:30 am; Anthony Lehman, Youth Pastor. SS 9:30 am; Wor. ser. 10:30 am.

**Glade Mennonite Church, Accident-Bittinger Rd. & Rock Lodge Rd. Phone 301-245-4285.** Pastor Chris Weaver. SS 9:30 am; Wor. 10:30 am.

**Gortner Union Church of the Brethren-Mennonite, Rev. Steven Sauder, Pastor.** SS 9:30 am; Wor. ser. 10:30 am.

**Maple Glen Mennonite Church, Grantsville, Pastor Phil Moser.** SS 9:30 am; Wor. 10:30 am.

**Meadow Mountain Mennonite Church, Rt. 495 near Dry Run & Glendale Rd. Duane Frederick, Pastor.** SS 9:30 am; Wor. ser. 10:30 am.

**Oak Grove Mennonite, Pastor Tim Fetterly, On Zehner Rd., 3 mi. W. of Grantsville by Rt. 40.** SS 9:30 am; Wor. ser. 10:30 am.

**Red Run Mennonite Church, Meyersdale Rd., 301-264-3039.** Rev. Carlos Reyes, Pastor. Wor. 10:30 am; SS 9:30 am.

**NAZARENE**

**Church of the Nazarene, Rev. Ar Evans, study 301-334-2251.** 207 S. 8th St. Oakland. SS 9:45 am; Wor. 10:45 am; Sun. eve. ser. 6 pm; prayer, praise & study Wed. 7 pm.

**Kingwood Nazarene Church, 125 Wellisley St., Kingwood, WV.** SS 9:45 am; Wor. 11 am; Sun. eve. ser. 6 pm; Caravan (Sept.-May) & Bible study Wed. 7 pm.

## PENTECOSTAL

**Calvary Tabernacle, Accel-**

## Are We Good Stewards Of God's Gifts?

It is sadly ironic that almost all of the major causes of death today are related to lifestyle or behavior choices. A hundred years ago, most people died from infections or accidents, and there was little that most people could do to prevent their deaths. While infection still makes the list of the leading causes of death, the others are all related to lifestyle or behavior choices. According to the American Medical Association, the leading causes of death are related to the following: tobacco use, poor diet/physical inactivity, alcohol consumption, infection, toxic agents, motor vehicle accidents, firearms, sexual behavior, and illicit use of drugs. (JAMA, March 10, 2004-Vol. 291, No. 10) And although we certainly can't stave off death indefinitely



## Super Crossword FIRST BORN

ACROSS

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5 Foesey's friends  
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14 Actress Wilhelmina  
19 Gulf ruler  
20 Computer command  
21 Word with coffee or Iran  
22 Intense  
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25 Benefactor born 1/1/1900  
27 Soprano Anna  
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41 General born 1/1/1745  
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47 Athenian  
48 Musical movement  
50 Madison's  
53 Wrong  
56 Splitting headache?

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3 Intimate  
4 Make a bundle  
5 Palm Sunday  
6 Exam subject?

8 Donkey's declaration  
9 Pajack  
10 Tactful  
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12 Eggs  
13 Fancy fabric  
14 Nationality  
15 Boat house  
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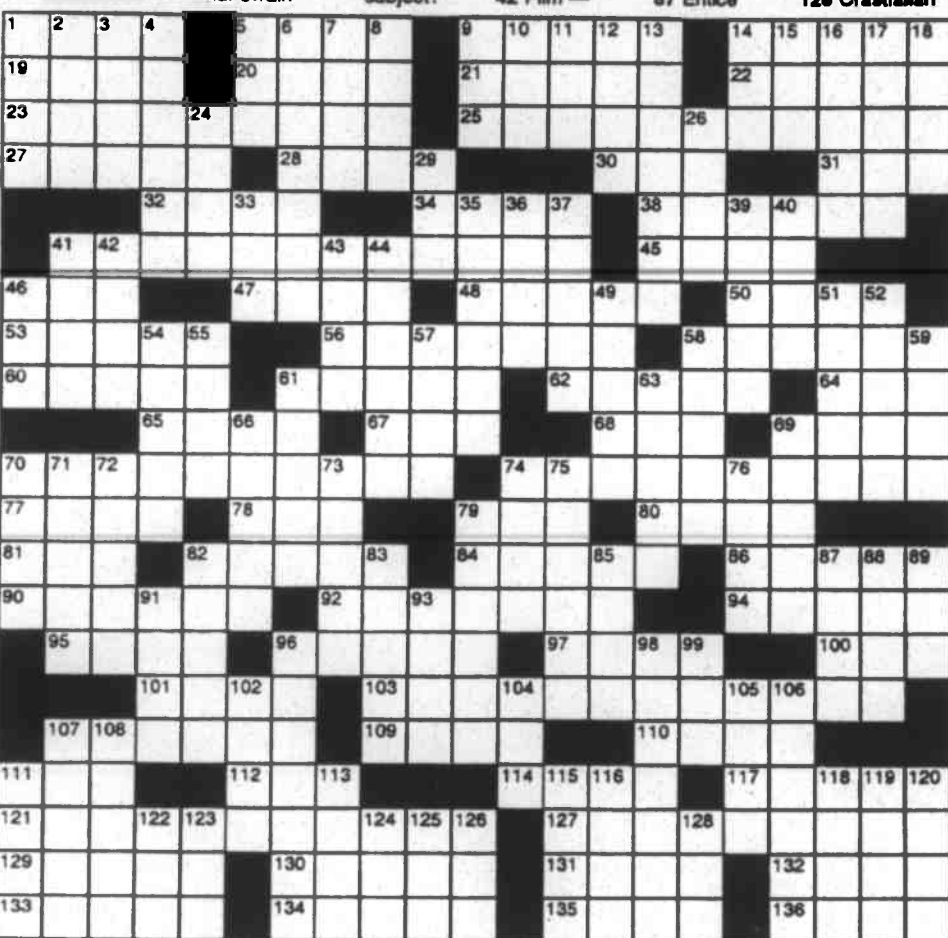
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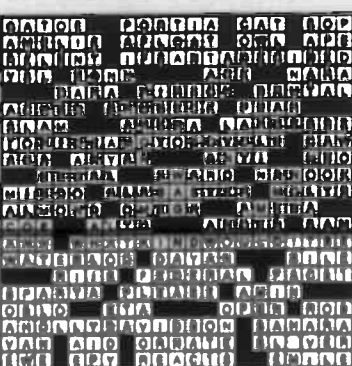


## Strange BUT TRUE

By Samantha Weaver

- If you're planning a trip to the Orient anytime in the near future, you might want to keep this in mind: 60 percent of rural Chinese have never brushed their teeth. Never. So you ought to consider bringing some breath mints for them.
- Ever wonder how animals taste? How they taste their food, I mean — not how they taste to you. A chicken has 45 taste buds — maybe due to the fact that it only eats grain and doesn't really need to taste much. A dog has about 2,000 taste buds — more, but that still doesn't approach the 10,000 that a person has. What is bizarre is that a catfish has a whopping 100,000 taste buds — some of them on the outside of its body!
- Bison — that iconic herd animal of the American West — may look ponderously slow, but looks can be deceiving. Able to achieve speeds of up to 45 mph, the creatures can outrun humans.
- In a recent survey of Americans — adult Americans, mind you — respondents were able to name more of Disney's Seven Dwarves than Supreme Court Justices. Even more disturbing, perhaps, is the fact that more people who participated in the survey could name the Three Stooges than could name the three branches of government. (In case you were wondering, they are the Judicial branch, the Executive branch and the Legislative branch.)
- As just about everybody knows, farming is big business in the United States. You might be surprised to learn, though, that the largest irrigated "crop" in the country is actually grass — three times as much land is covered by irrigated grass (think suburban lawn sprinklers) than is covered by irrigated corn.

Solution to last week's Super Crossword



## Moments in time

THE HISTORY CHANNEL

- On Sept. 22, 1774, Nathan Hale, a Connecticut schoolteacher and captain in the Continental Army, is executed by the British for spying. Before being hanged, legend holds that Hale said, "I only regret that I have but one life to lose for my country."
- On Sept. 21, 1866, H.G. Wells, a pioneer of science fiction, is born in Bromley, England. His classic novel "The Time Machine" (1895), about a man who journeys to the future, was a success, as was "The War of the Worlds" (1898).
- On Sept. 19, 1900, Robert Parker and Harry Longbaugh, better known as Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid, rob the First National Bank in Winnemucca, Nev., marking the first time that the duo worked as a team.
- On Sept. 23, 1930, R&B pioneer Ray Charles is born. Ray Charles (Robinson) broke ground by fusing gospel with blues and other secular musical styles. He went on to score a number of successes, including his hit song "Georgia On My Mind."
- On Sept. 18, 1955, Ed Sullivan's popular talk show, originally called "Toast of the Town," changes its name to "The Ed Sullivan Show." Among the many celebrities who made their TV debut on the show were Bob Hope, the Beatles and Walt Disney.
- On Sept. 24, 1961, the sitcom "I Love Lucy" airs its last episode. The show, created by Lucille Ball and her husband Desi Arnaz, ran for 10 years. Ball had insisted that Arnaz be cast as her husband on the show, despite the insistence of network executives that no one would believe a white American actress would be married to a Cuban bandleader.

## Trivia test by Hil Rodriguez

- MOVIES: Who played the role of the U.S. president in "Nixon"?
- TV: Where did "The Munnies" live?
- ANIMAL KINGDOM: What is the world's largest lizard?
- GEOGRAPHY: What is the capital of South Korea?
- MUSIC: What were the first names of the band leader Dorsey brothers?
- GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: What is the youngest level of Girl Scouts?
- LITERARY: Who wrote the novel "The Sea Wolf"?
- HISTORY: What was Amelia Bloomer famous for?
- NATURAL WORLD: What is brown coal also known as?
- THEATER: Who wrote the play titled "The Homecoming"?



## Designer Dogs Are Out of Style

DEAR PAW'S CORNER: I am a breeder who has raised dogs for 38 years. My tip is this: These new dog breeds that are being created, such as Puggles and Labradoodles, are nothing more than crossbreeds being advertised as designer dogs. Buyers should be careful and beware: "Cute" will bite you — not the dog, I mean, but the bite on the wallet from high veterinary bills or simply wasting thousands of dollars on an undocumented breed. The size of the price tag does not determine quality. — Ron in West Virginia

DEAR RON: Thank you for making an important statement. Buying pets impulsively at any price — whether a cut-rate pup or a thousand-dollar-plus designer dog — can have terrible consequences for both the new owner and the pet.

Always take your time when deciding to bring a new dog — or any pet — into your home. Make sure you have the time and resources to care for a pet, and that the dog, cat, bird or other creature is compatible with the rest of the family. Read up on different dog breeds and learn about specific behaviors, health issues, recommended training and feeding methods, and anything else you need to know before purchasing or adopting that new puppy.

If you insist on having a specific breed, check out area dog breeders carefully. The best breeders will be checking you out as well, to make sure their puppy goes to a good home. Making more than one visit — sometimes several — to a breeder before finalizing a purchase is not uncommon. In every case, be prepared to spend a good amount of time, days, weeks or even months, deciding on and planning for a new pet.



## Ruby Glass

Q. I have a 50-piece set of ruby glass. Several years ago, I was offered \$75 per glass, but I want to sell the entire set. Any suggestions? — Marilyn, Sonoma, Calif.

A. Ruby glass is a flashed glass, A. deeply red in color, and was manufactured by numerous companies beginning during the 1890s and continuing through the 1940s. Although it is sometimes confused with red carnival glass, it is made differently and not the same. Values are tricky. It might be a good idea to consult the numerous price guides available and monitor ruby glass prices on eBay.

Another suggestion is to contact a good appraiser. Although you will pay a nominal fee, you will get an expert's opinion of what your collection is worth. Karen Rook is a certified appraiser who specializes in glass. Her contact information is 3339 Balsam Drive, Winter Park, FL 32792.

Q. Where can I find out more about the possible value of a Hammacher Schlensinger workbench with wooden vice? — Ja, via e-mail

A. I suggest you contact the company by e-mail at customer-service@hammacher.com. After filling out an online questionnaire, someone from the company will answer your question, if possible.

Q. I have an early still bottle. Where can I sell it? — Kara, Cherry, Wash.

A. I suggest you contact the National Society of Milk Bottle Collectors, 18 Pond Place, Coe, CT 06807. This club, which focuses on milk bottle collecting and related memorabilia, publishes an excellent newsletter for its members, The Milk Route.

MISTER BREGER By Dave Breger



"Up, Wower, up!" Little Harry's call for some water...!

Just Like Cats &amp; Dogs by Dave T. Phipps



"Yes, Tom, you're the only one — you're the only one I go out with Mondays."

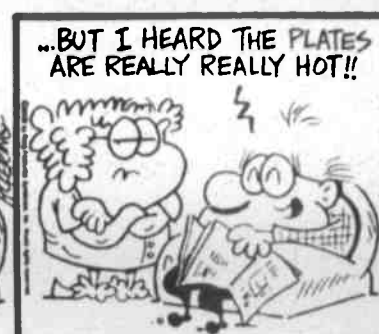
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## The Spats

by Jeff Pickering



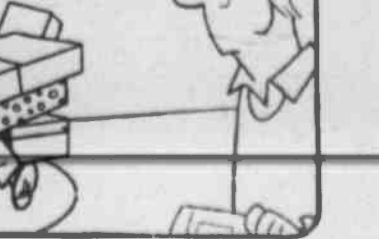
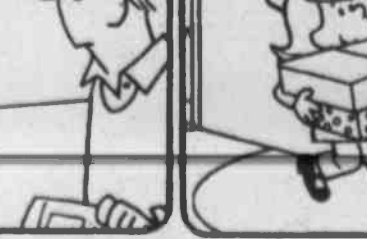
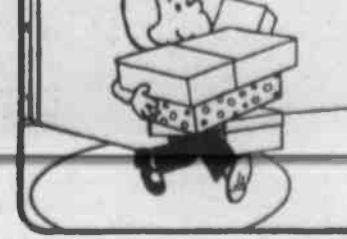
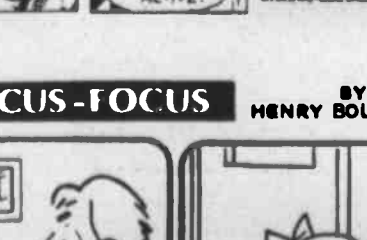
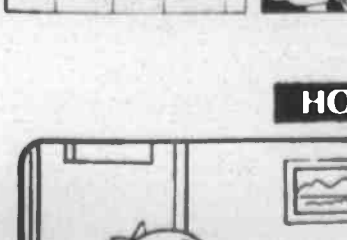
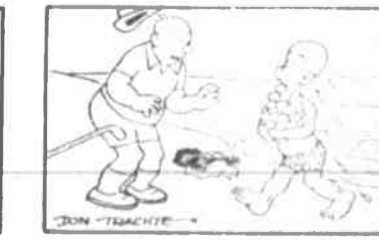
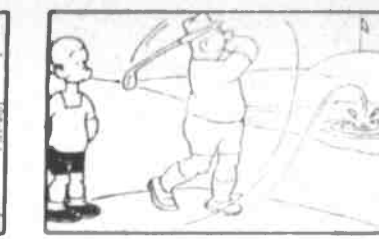
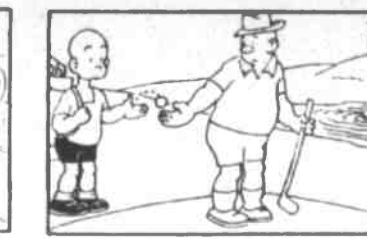
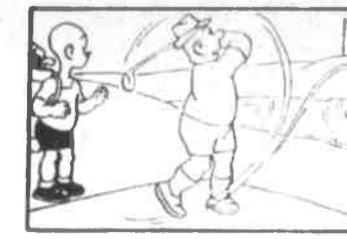
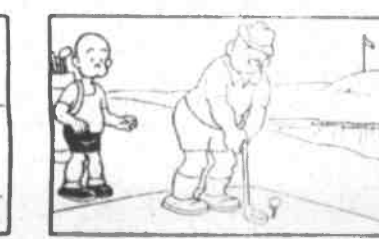
## R.F.D.

by Mike Marland



## Amber Waves

by Dave Phipps



FIND AT LEAST 8 DIFFERENCES BETWEEN PANELS.

1. Hair is changed. 2. Paws are smaller. 3. Paws are different. 4. Hair is changed. 5. Paws are smaller. 6. Paws are different. 7. Hair is changed. 8. Paws are smaller. 9. Paws are different. 10. Hair is changed. 11. Paws are smaller. 12. Paws are different.





**NGCRS HAS NEW AMBULANCE** - The Northern Garrett County Rescue Squad recently placed a new ambulance, Unit Number 926, in service at Station 2 in McHenry. The 2006 Ford F-450 replaced a 2001 model. Station 2 covers the McHenry and Accident areas as well as a small portion of the Bittering area. "The NGCRS continuously replaces ambulances to keep the most reliable, up-to-date vehicles in service," noted a squad spokesperson.

### Garden Club Mtg. To Feature "Love Is In The Air" Prog.

The Mountain Laurel Garden Club will begin its year of monthly meetings on Tuesday, Sept. 19, at 10:30 a.m. at DC's Steakhouse located at Wisp Resort in McHenry. After a short business meeting, the event will

feature guest speaker Steve McDaniel's presentation "Love is in the Air: Flowers and Their Pollinators," to be followed by a luncheon. The public is invited.

McDaniel, a photographer, will explore the relationship between plants and the pollinators that are essential to their reproduction.

"His dramatic close-up photographs of many different kinds of flowers demonstrate the great lengths to which plants will go to advertise for help in moving



STEVE MCDANIEL

pollen," said a club spokesperson. "The pollinators, too, are shown in great detail going about their necessary work with their marvelously adapted, built-in tools. The complex interactions between the birds and the bees and the flowers that need them result in some of the most beautiful creations of nature, as well as most of the food we eat."

Widely published in books and magazines, McDaniel has been a freelance photographer since 1975. In 2002, one of his pictures placed second in the Wildlife Photographer of the Year competition in London, England.

He is a member of NAN-PA (North American Nature Photography Association) and ASMP (American Society of Media Photographers).

Garden Club members will be contacted for lunch reservations. Non-members interested in attending the meeting, making a lunch reservation, or receiving further information about the Mountain Laurel Garden Club may contact Ginni Neff at 301-387-7387 or Jackie Johnson at 301-334-4420.

The club is a member of the Federated Garden Clubs of Maryland Inc. and the National Garden Clubs Inc. Affiliated clubs provide education, resources, and national networking opportunities for members as well as promote gardening, floral design, and civic and environmental responsibility.

### KITZMILLER

#### CALLIGRAPHY CLASS

A calligraphy class will be offered again at the Kitzmiller Library. Classes are scheduled for the first three Mondays in September from 6 to 7 p.m. For more information, persons may contact Diane Kisner at 301-453-3368 during regular library hours, which are Monday and Wednesday from 3 to 7 p.m., and Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday from 9:30 a.m. to noon. The class size is limited to 10.

#### KVFD DINNER

The Kitzmiller Volunteer Fire Department is changing off a 5-cubic-foot freezer containing half of a hog.

Chances cost \$1 apiece or 6 for \$5. Persons may obtain tickets from any member until October 13.

The fire department is also holding its annual steak dinner on Friday, Oct. 13, from 5 to 7 p.m. at the fire hall. The cost is \$15 and the meal will consist of the following: 16 oz. delmonico steak, baked potato, green beans, slaw, dessert, and beverage.

#### PTO NEWS

The Parent Teacher Organization of Kitzmiller School is selling car magnets for \$10 each. Personal names can be put on them. Members are also selling Kitzmiller School T-shirts for \$10 and sweatshirts for

\$20. Interested persons may contact Heather Berg at 301-453-3316. Orders will be taken until September 24.

#### VOLLEYBALL RESULTS

Volleyball results for last week are as follows: Terry Lucas's team defeated Zack Brady's team; Mike Brady's team defeated Jimmy Browning's team; and Michael Harvey's team defeated Chad Lucas's team.

Terry's team will play Mike Brady's team this evening. Playoffs will begin next Monday. The fourth-place team will play the fifth-place team, and on Tuesday, third place will play sixth place.

#### BIRTHDAYS

Among Kitzmiller residents celebrating birthdays this week are: Keith Lambka,

Lori Woods, Francis Hanlin, Tom Braithwaite, Alexis Sharpless, Kim Friend, Ellen Calhoun, Nikki Keplinger, Cheryl Nesselrodt, Robbie Nelson, Shayla James Swinehart, Roy Holliday,

Cory Stieringer, Lacy Goer, Wendy Moon, Jim Browning IV, Logan Mar Danielle Glatfelter, Vic Gore, Carol Spiker, Al is Sharpless, and Richard Tasker Sr.



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**DISASTER PLANNING MEETING HELD** - The quarterly meeting of the public health sector planning group was recently held. Pictured above are representatives from various agencies, including the Garrett County Health Department, law enforcement, and Board of Education, planning strategies for dealing

with emergencies in the health sector. Standing at the left is Dr. Rick Bissell from UMBC Office of Emergency Medical Preparedness, who resides in eastern Garrett County and has been helping to facilitate these meetings since inception in 2002. Photo by Glenn Tolbert.

## Man Gets Jail Time For Credit Card Scam

District Court Judge Ralph Burnett ordered Jeffrey Eugene Travis, 42, Accident, to serve one year and six months of a four-year jail term, and to undergo a three-year period of supervised probation upon release after he pleaded guilty to using a credit card issued to another person for the purpose of obtaining money, goods, services, and things of value in excess of \$500. In addition, Travis was directed by Burnett to make restitution of \$9,415.50 to Discover Financial Services, \$109.88 to Fingerhut, \$143.88 to Match.com, and \$39.95 to Click Bank in Boise, Idaho.

According to court records, Tfc B.D. Williams and other officers executed a search and seizure warrant at the residence of the Jeffrey Eugene Travis in Accident. The warrant was seeking evidence related to the theft of the identity of the victim, who had reported that his Discover credit card was being used while he was in jail. He did not give anyone permission to use his name, identifying information, or credit cards.

Records of the Discover card verified that transactions had been made at numerous locations in Garrett County while the victim was in jail. Further investigation revealed that Travis had attempted to change the victim's address from Oakland to 97 Clover Lane, Accident. In Feb. 2006, Travis successfully changed the victim's address to his own, and it was this piece of information the police used to find the defendant.

According to court records, Travis had a total of the following 82 criminal charges leveled against him which were not prosecuted: 3 counts of unlawfully using and disclosing the holder's signature; 2 counts of stealing another's credit card without consent; 24 counts of signing another's credit card with the intent to defraud; 11 counts of assuming another's identity with the fraudulent intent to knowingly avoid payment of debt or other legal obligations; 11 counts of knowingly assuming the identity of another with the fraudulent intent to obtain benefit, credit, goods, services, or other items of value; 2 counts of using the credit card of another for the purpose of obtaining money, goods, services, and things of value in excess of \$500; 6 counts of receiving money, goods, services, and things of value of less than \$500 by means of forgery or misrepresentation of a credit card of another; 5 counts of stealing merchandise of Walmart less than \$500; 5 counts of using another's credit card for the purpose of obtaining money, goods, services, and things of value having a value of less than \$500 or less, knowing the said card to have been stolen, illegally purchased, and illegally sold; 4 counts of

stealing merchandise of Walmart less than \$100; 4 counts of receiving money, goods, services, and other things of value of \$100 or less, knowing the said card to have been stolen, illegally purchased, and illegally sold; and 1 count of conspiring with Christina Ellen Travis to receive money, goods, services, and other things of value in excess of \$500 obtained by means of a forged and misrepresented credit card issued to another person.

In other court news, Judge Burnett handed Scott Dale Alexander, 28, Oakland a 60-day jail sentence after the defendant was found guilty to the malicious destruction of property.

According to court records Alexander destroyed a Motorola picture cell

phone of the victim in the parking lot of Wal-Mart in July. Tonya Guthrie, a witness to the crime, refused to

testify, and Burnett held her in contempt of court and sentenced her to 30 days in the Garrett County Jail.

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David Wayne Black, 28, Uniontown, Pa., pleaded guilty to possession of drug paraphernalia and was ordered to pay \$257 in fines.

Black was pulled over for a traffic violation, and K-9 Tara, a certified drug detection canine, scanned the exterior of the vehicle and alerted the officer to the presence of controlled dangerous substance (CDS). Black freely admitted to having a bowl underneath the driver's seat and a baggie of marijuana.

The district attorney did not prosecute Black on the

charge of possession of marijuana.

Judge Burnett handed Douglas Ray Ferguson, 23, Oakland a 30-day jail sentence after he pleaded guilty to a Peeping Tom charge.

Ferguson was not prosecuted for a fourth-degree burglary charge.

Scot Gregory Rodeheaver, 37, Mtn. Lake Park, pleaded guilty to the theft of less than \$100 merchandise and was fined \$200 and given 50 hours of community service.

The owner of Ace Hardware, John Naylor, reported

that Rodeheaver had taken a 10-foot-by-10-foot canopy from the warehouse without paying for it. Rodeheaver admitted to the police he had taken it without paying for it, according to court records.

Carrie Ann Kitzmiller, 24, Bayard, W. Va., pleaded guilty to littering less than 100 pounds of garbage, and was fined \$200 and ordered to do 50 hours of community service, according to the court records.

Dfc. E.J. Geroski received a complaint that garbage had been dumped on

Wilson-Corona Road south of Fairview Church Road. He was able to identify the defendant from information he obtained from the trash that was left behind.

Timothy Walden, 30, Oakland, pleaded guilty to failing to register as an offender. Burnett suspended a

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## Notes From Bittering

by Joan Giotfelty Sussman

One of the most horrifying dates in recent American history is September 11, five years ago on this date everything changed for Americans. We are not a safe America with the two wide oceans between us and the rest of the troubled areas of the world. We are not isolated anymore, nor safe. Just like most days, I was watching the "Today Show" and I saw the two airliners crash into the Twin Towers. After the second one hit, the phone rang and it was my sister-in-law Marci calling to ask me whether what she saw was really real. It was real and everything changed for Americans. But we are still disconnected with the suffering around the world and still unwilling to share and help with the wretched of the world. It would be a much wiser way to spend billions of dollars on the Peace Corps than wage war.

Five years ago was the same time when I realized that I couldn't save my marriage. Even though my home was not attacked by a terrorist, it was attacked, and all I can do is just like the survivors of "9-11" and just get on with my life as best way I can. It is sad to see what a media circus portrays on the fifth anniversary of a tragic day. Thank goodness the "Today Show" is over for today, September 11 is probably the worst date for your birthday. At least people will not forget that it is your birthday. Cindy Kolbe and my Aunt Betty Hummel share this birthday.

It was a big day for our president to grab the glory for the day. I am not for that exploitation of something as sad as "9-11." I thought about the contrast between our present president and President Ken-



**CIVIC CLUB DONATES TO 4-H** - Sandy Zakaluzny, Junior Woman's Civic Club member, left, hands over the annual 4-H donation to Lake Sherrard, 4-H Club member, and Ann Sherrard, director of the Garrett County Extension Office and 4-H youth development.

nedy. Did JFK relive the Cuban missile crisis every year after? I am not sure of the exact date of that dark period in American history, but I believe it was some time in October when I was a student at Accident Elementary School. My big brother Rodney told me that we might have an atomic attack, and I was pretty scared.

I can't believe how fast fall is approaching. This is the first time I can remember so many colored leaves on the trees, and even worse on the ground. The primary colors so far are yellow and gold, but I did see a big splash of scarlet on New Germany Road. Snow is still at least one month away, but even this cool damp weather gets me down. It is the final stage for my container garden, which has my second crop of spinach. I am still waiting for my sugar snaps to grow.

At last I got a couple blossoms on my pepper plants. I don't know whether they have enough time to bear fruit, but I kind of doubt it. The outside cool damp air is creeping inside my home so I wish I could turn my furnace on, but who can afford it at the price?

I can't believe that after all the wet weather Rock Lodge spring still is dry. My daughter's cat Tiger has developed a taste for the thrill of the hunt. He dragged in three dead baby bunnies last week. He doesn't bother to eat them.

What a dismal day for our primary election day. The fog is so thick you could cut it with a knife. I am glad to get my voting over and get inside my house again. I will be glad

to see many of those politicians' signs gone. I don't think just name recognition is the answer to becoming a winner. Hopefully, everyone knows which candidate will do the job they expect from them and not just vote for candidates who have the most and biggest signs. Think what the money spent for those signs could be used for other worthwhile things in the county and the world.

Sheila Southerly lost almost all of her garden to deer invaders, except she does have lots of zucchinis. Luckily she has a cookbook for many good recipes for them. She still has a couple hummingbirds, mainly around her flowers. According to Sheila the gardeners in Bittering had a disappointing growing season. We had zero apples on our old yellow transparent apple tree.

The Bittering Lutheran Parish has a pastoral candidate. We will have a chance to meet him and his family at a covered-dish dinner tonight (Thursday) at the Bittering fire hall. He is an alumnus of W.Va. University. (Tonight is also the game between WVU and Univ. of Maryland, and some of the rabid fans of both schools may miss the dinner to watch the hottest contested game.) Before he entered the ministry he was a lawyer in Wheeling. He was very active in the community, especially in various performances for the arts, as well as Boy Scouts and a volunteer fire department member. He has been married for 34 years and has several grown children. The candidate, Randolph Richardson, will preside at worship services on Sunday. It will be followed by a congregational meeting.

Appalachian Sunday will be celebrated October 1 at Emmanuel Lutheran Church.

Ferne Beachy and Sally Poholsky visited with Andy and Marie Brennenman and Marion Bowser, Grantsville, this week. Ferne is now living with Lenny and Sally.

McKenna Stanton celebrated her second birthday with a celebration at Sam and Cindy Stanton's. The Poholskys hosted a goodbye dinner, as Lea and Blake Pochet returned to Albuquerque, N.M.

1st Lt. Todd Gibson of the D.C. National Guard will soon travel to Iraq as an F16 fighter pilot. He is a member of the 121st Fighter Squadron. He is the husband of Michelle Geis, daughter of Sam and Ellen Housley.

EMC Derek Buckel graduated from Nuclear Prototype School in Saratoga Springs, N.Y., in June and is now stationed in Bremerton, Wash., with the air wing aboard the John Stanmin aircraft carrier. He has been in British Colum-

bia and is leaving this week for flight training experience for a month in San Diego.

Bonnie McElroy, Mt. Airy, was a visitor of her mother, Harriett Buckel, at Cherry Hill Assisted Living over the weekend. Harriett, Bill Buckel, and Ruth DiPaolo were Sunday dinner guests of Bonnie at Annie's Kitchen.

We would like to say Thanks to Tom Marple for hauling our animals to the Garrett County Fair.

Steven and Allison Friend

## Wilson Slated To Speak At Sunrise Seminar

Casey Wilson, retail industry manager for the Maryland Small Business Development Center Network, will speak Tuesday, Sept. 19, at a Sunrise Seminar for independent business people in Garrett County.

The free business seminar will be at the Garrett County Chamber of Commerce Board Room from 8 to 9:45 a.m. The event will include light refreshments and a relevant business conversation. Participants will hear practical tips on how independent businesses can compete successfully in the current ever-changing markets.

"Casey also will share resource, marketing, and visual merchandising ideas to help keep and expand your customer base," said Charlie Ross, president and CEO of the Garrett County Chamber of Commerce. "This is an excellent seminar for 'Main Street' retailers, restaurateurs, and other small

businesses."

The seminar is sponsored by the Maryland Department of Housing and Community Development's Catalyst Program, in association with the Small Business Development Center and Maryland Downtown Development Association.

This workshop is part of the "Our Story" program, culminating in the "Our Story" Conference on Nov. 2 and 3. It is the first of several workshops recommended by the recently formed Business Services Advisory Committee (BSAC), which is an advising body of the chamber.

Persons interested in attending may contact Cherie Ross at 301-616-3026 or charliecherieross@verizon.net or Karen Reckner at 301-387-4386, ext. 12.

## PowerPoint Class Offered By Garrett

Two three-hour sessions on using PowerPoint will be offered on Wednesday, Sept. 27, from 6 to 9:15 p.m. and on Friday, Sept. 29, 9 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. The course is being offered by the Continuing Education and Workforce Development Division of Garrett College.

Basic knowledge of Power Point helpful but not required.

For more information or to register, persons may contact Kista Wilt at 301-387-3069 or via e-mail at kwilt@garrettcoll.edu

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Jeff Hovis

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Once you're a legal resident of your new home state, you can apply for incentives like homestead exemptions (if available). Also make sure you've updated the address on your credit report. Investigate how the enforcement of certain legal documents like wills and powers of attorney might change because of the change in residence.

Rules are different from state to state, and many experts suggest trying to make your move as early in the year as possible in order to minimize the impact. Tax returns can be confusing when you're claiming part-time residency in two different states during the year you move. Trust a real estate professional to help with selling, buying and moving, and seek advice from a tax consultant about the financial implications.

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## Dedicated to Taffy

On Tuesday, August 29, at 4:55 p.m., I lost a long-time friend of 11 years. Her name was Taffy. She was a female cocker spaniel, reddish blonde in color.

Taffy and I lived in Kentucky at the beginning of her life, even though she was born in Garrett County. My mother and father Hazel and Harrison Stewart Sr., acquired Taffy for me when I had my nervous breakdown in 1995. Taffy was only 4 weeks old at the time and I fell in love with her at first sight.

Taffy became a very close companion of mine over the next 11 years. Everywhere I went, she went also, including work. I worked as a volunteer at a local car lot here in Oakland, everyone who came in knew Taffy.

On Tuesday, August 29, I noticed that Taffy was seemingly having a bad day. She didn't seem to be herself, so we left work at 4:30 p.m., an hour earlier than usual. Once we arrived home in Mtn. Lake Park, I left Taffy out and she went over into the grass and relieved herself and then found a place in the lawn to lie down.

I carried the things I needed to get inside the house and came back out and picked up Taffy and carried her into the living room where she usually lay and shut the door. I proceeded to the bedroom to take off my shoes and socks as usual. I looked up and Taffy was staring at me as if to say, I want to come and lie down on the bed. After being around your pet that long you learn what they want just by looks. I went in the living room and picked her up and laid her at the foot of the bed with her head on her pillow where she always slept.

I lay next to her with my head on her tummy, petting her and telling her how much I loved her. At about 4:55 p.m. she raised up her head and looked me straight in the eyes with her big brown eyes, took a deep breath, licked my hand and lay her head on my hand and passed on.

I was devastated. My heart was broken: my best friend in the whole world had just looked me in the eye, kissed me on the hand and said good-bye forever. Why did she have to go? That is the only question that lingers in my mind?

Taffy was a very loyal companion. She knew many tricks, and in 2003 she was voted in as the Beacon Outreach, Inc. mascot. Every place I frequented like the bank drive-thru, McDonald's, and Gregg's Pharmacy, knew her by name and often gave her treats.

Now the passenger seat of my van is empty, my heart is broken, and the love of my life is gone forever. I know that in time, this feeling will pass, but I feel it only fitting that I let everyone know how special she was to me. Thank you all for listening. Please keep me in your prayers, and pray I find another cocker spaniel to somehow fill the void that Taffy once filled.

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## Wilson Couple To Speak At Local Church Of God



LOVELL AND VERNA WILSON

Pastors Ivan and Cindy Ackerman and the Loch Lynn Church of God will host special services on Sunday, Sept. 17, and Monday, Sept. 18. Special guests will be Bishop Lovell and Rev. Verna Wilson of Frederick. Bishop Lovell will be the speaker for the Sunday evening service at 6 p.m. The Monday evening service will feature a Ladies' Rally at 7 p.m., with Rev. Verna as the speaker.

Bishop Lovell, an ordained minister, serves as executive pastor of Marantha Church of God in Fre-

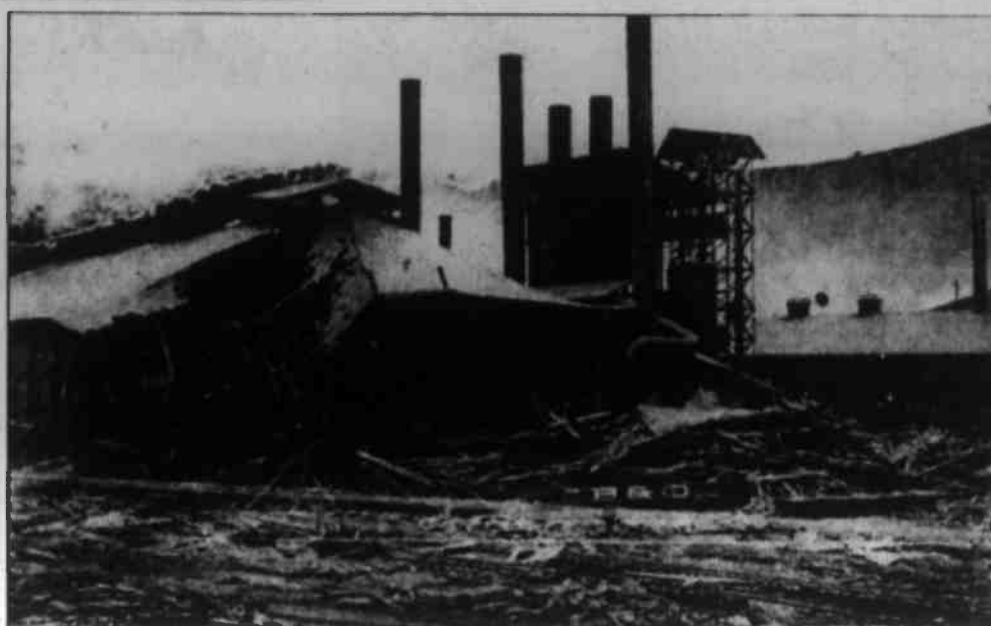
derick, where he has been active in the church leadership since 1986. He has been a full-time pastor since 1996. He also serves as a teacher, elder, Christian education director, and board member for the church.

He is a retired Air Force chief master sergeant, a retired manager of a Fortune 500 company, and a graduate of the University of Maryland. The bishop attended graduate school through Frostburg State University.

Bishop Lovell is also president of Dottie Wilson Ministries Inc., which was started by his late first wife. It is a non-profit evangelistic outreach ministry designed to "feed the hungry, clothe the naked, shelter the homeless, and help heal the broken-hearted."

Rev. Verna received her ministerial credentials through the Church of God, headquartered in Cleveland, Tenn. She was reared in a Christian home in Washington, D.C., where the family motto was "As for me and my house, we will serve the Lord."

Rev. Verna has served in many capacities, such as a praise team leader, Sunday school superintendent,



**THE JOHNSTOWN FLOOD TO BE TOLD THROUGH STORY AND SONG** - The story of workers caught in the Johnstown, Pa., flood of 1889 will be presented on Monday, Sept. 25, at 7:30 p.m. at the Folk Meeting House in Springs, Pa. The event is sponsored by the Springs Historical Society. Admission is free and open to the public. Gregory Zaborowski will relate the events through original music, dress, and story. When the South Fork Dam, 14 miles north of Johnstown, burst on May 31, 1889, a wall of water over 35 feet high crashed down on this small industrial city. In a few short hours, the city was destroyed, and 2,209 people became the victims of one of the worst man-made disasters of all time. Zaborowski, commonwealth speaker for the Pennsylvania Humanities Council and folk musician, received the Freeman Tilden Award for excellence in interpretation and education. He is currently historian and education specialist for the National Park Service in Johnstown. This presentation is a program of the Pennsylvania Humanities Council, supported in part by the National Endowment for the Humanities and its We the People Initiative. For further information, persons may call 814-445-6945 or 814-662-4366, or visit [springspa.org](http://springspa.org). Pictured is the "Ruins of the Cambria Iron Works" published in the *History of the Johnstown Flood* by Willis Fletcher Johnson in 1889.

teacher, and preacher. She and Bishop Lovell have 10 children and 17 grandchildren.

The Loch Lynn Church of God is located along First Avenue. The public is invited to these special services. For more information, persons may call 301-334-3221.

## Wing, Shrimp Night Planned

The Grantsville Volunteer Fire Department will hold a wing and shrimp night on Saturday, Sept. 16, from 4 to 8 p.m.

Eat-in or carry-out meals are available. Persons may call 301-895-5200.

## FRIENDSVILLE NEWS

### ASHER GLADE CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

Nursing home visitations will be held this Sunday, Sept. 17, beginning with Kamp's at 1:45 p.m.

There will be a love feast and communion on Sunday, Oct. 1, at 8 p.m. at the Asher Glade Church.

A board meeting will be held Friday, Oct. 13, at 7 p.m. at the church. A hayride and covered-dish dinner will be held Sunday, Oct. 15, beginning at 4:30 p.m.

### 40TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

Camp Sunrise Mountain will hold its 40th anniversary celebration on Saturday, Oct. 7. Fellowship and reminiscing will be held from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., and the Savage Family will perform gospel/bluegrass from 2 to 3 p.m. There will be a service of celebration and thanksgiving at 3:30 p.m. There will also be a display of camp pictures in the Sunrise Room, and camp pictures will be available on CD. Food concession will be available from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. The concert and worship service will be held in a large tent. All are welcome.

### SOUP DINNER

A homemade vegetable soup and hot homemade rolls dinner has been scheduled for this Friday, Sept. 15, from 4 to 7 p.m. at the Friendsville United Methodist Church. Dinners will be served at the church and orders are also being taken ahead of time by calling Sherry Fike at 301-746-5548. Takeouts are also available. The church is located at 623 Water Street in Friendsville.

### FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

First Christian Church will sponsor a multi-family yard sale this Friday, Sept. 15, and Saturday, Sept. 16, from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. both days. The event will be held rain or shine. The First Christian Church is located at the corner of Chestnut and First avenues in Friendsville.

### LAUREL RUN CHURCH OF GOD

The Laurel Run Church of God will hold revival services Sept. 20-24 beginning at 7:30 each evening, and Sunday, Sept. 25, at 10:45 a.m. Earl Elderkin from New York will be the guest speaker each evening. Following the Sunday morning worship will be a Sunday School picnic at 12:30 p.m.

A rummage and bake sale will be held at the Laurel Run Church of God on Saturday, Oct. 14, from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

### MERCY CHAPEL

The annual Mercy Chapel picnic will be held this Sunday, Sept. 17, at the home of Dean and Cindy Daniels, 355 North Ridge Road, McHenry. The church family and friends attending are asked to bring a covered dish and lawn chair. Dinner will begin at approximately 1 p.m. The regular Sunday morning worship service will be held at 10:30 a.m., officiated by Pastor Raymond Schmuck.

### WELCOME-HOME PARTY

There will be a welcome

home party to celebrate the return from Iraq of members of the 243rd Engineers at the American Legion in Oakland this Sunday, Sept. 17, from 4 to 6 p.m. The public is invited to attend and help welcome home Kenny Fike, Doug Sines, and Larry Schlosnagle, who recently returned after serving duty in Iraq.

### WOW LODGE 45

Lodge 45 will hold its annual awards banquet on Saturday, Oct. 7, at the Friendsville fire hall, beginning at 6:30 p.m. Entertainment will be provided and door prizes awarded. The cost of the dinner is \$5 per member. Guests are welcome, and the cost of their meal will be \$10. Those wishing to attend are asked to contact Mary Frantz at 301-746-5331.

### CASH BASH

The Friendsville Volun-

teer Fire and Rescue Dept. will be hosting its second annual Cash Bash on Saturday, Sept. 30, beginning at 5 p.m. at the Friendsville fire hall. Only 1,000 tickets will be sold, so early sell-out is expected. Tickets can be purchased from any Friendsville firefighter or by mail to Friendsville Fire and Rescue Dept., P.O. Box 186, Friendsville, MD 21531. Checks should be made payable to FVFRD. All mail orders must be received by Sept. 16. Doors will open at 4 p.m., and the first cash giveaway will be held at 5 p.m. and then every 10 minutes thereafter until 9 p.m. and then again at 9:01 and 9:02. The tickets can be purchased for a \$20 donation. One must be 18 to attend.

### LIBRARY NEWS

The Friendsville Library Quilters and branch manager Michele Liston note appreciation to the community for its support of the Friendsville Library and the Friendsville Gardens quilt raffle. Judy Kope of Oakland won the quilt.

### TOWN NEWS

The next Mayor and Town Council meeting will be held Tuesday, Sept. 19, at 7 p.m.

Any residents with water/sewerage issues are asked to call Garrett Public Utilities at 301-334-6983.

### DIABETES AWARENESS

There will be a two-part series of informative nutritious meal planning and

weight management for diabetics on Wednesday, Oct. 25, and Wednesday, Nov. 29, from 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at the Deer Park VFW meeting room. Those attending will learn more about losing weight, controlling diabetes, lowering cholesterol, using food exchanges, reading food labels, and dining out healthfully. There is no charge, and those wishing to attend are asked to RSVP by calling 301-895-4700 by Oct. 13.

### VANSICKLE REUNION

The annual VanSickle reunion was held Labor Day Sunday at the Macedonia Farm, with a covered-dish lunch. Over 100 family

and friends attended. The youngest girl, Olivia Ridenour, and the youngest boy, Grant Ridenour, each received a quilt donated by Nancy Arsenberger. Leo Lowdermilk won the raffled quilt. Janet Fike made a wall hanging of the homeplace which was won by Shelby McKimmie.

The VanSickle reunion has been held at the Macedonia Farm for around 50 years. Amanda (VanSickle) Lowdermilk has hosted the reunion for the many years that it has been held. There were games for the children and prizes were given. The 2007 reunion will be held Labor Day Sunday at the Macedonia Farm.

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## TERRA ALTA NEWS

**TERRA ALTA LIBRARY** have been using the reference section to put the scientific name to the correct leaves. The first children to work on the project were Sara Hart and Savannah Sweeting.

The following have donated books, periodicals, pamphlets, and other reading material: Juanita Gardner, Mary McLaughlin, Cindy Cramer, Lily Spamer, and Cheryl Seeders.

Teen Read Week is a national literacy initiative aimed at teenagers, their parents, librarians, and edu-

## West Virginia

News from Preston, Tucker, Grant and Mineral Counties.

cators each year. Teen Read Week, since 1998, has encouraged teens to make time to read, use their local libraries, and participate in events at their libraries or schools.

The theme for Teen Read Week 2006, which will be observed Oct. 16 through 20, is "Get Active at Your Library." Everyone is invited and encouraged to participate this year for the weekly happenings. Persons may contact their libraries for more information.

**BASKETBALL LEAGUE**  
The Basketball League would like to thank the following businesses and organizations that contributed toward the new courts at the Community Park: Clear Mtn. Bank, Wood Roach (Dave Nine), Nazelrod Construction, Groves Hardware, Joe Romeo (United Chevrolet), East Preston Floral, Home for All Seasons, Preston Concrete, BB&T Bank, Wal-Mart, Don Nemith Builders, Grimm Lumber, town of Terra Alta, Arrowhead Machine, Hilltopper Youth League Basketball, Moun-

taintop Athletic Boosters, and Terra Alta Betterment Inc.

**VFW AUXILIARY**  
The VFW Ladies Auxiliary will host Bike Safety Day this Saturday, Sept. 16, at the lodge at 10 a.m. A wild game dinner is being planned for the beginning of October. Donations of wild game would be appreciated. Persons may contact Penny Lewis at 789-6020 for game pick-up, or more information.

The lodge will also host its annual Halloween party for children on Oct. 31 at 7 p.m.

### GRANT RECEIVED FOR TRAIL

Terra Alta Betterment Inc. (TABI), the town of Terra Alta, and the Terra Alta Economic Development Commission have received a \$40,000 West Virginia Dept. of Transportation Recreational Trail Grant to build a trail which will go through the Town Park and over to the Terra Alta East Preston School, where it will connect to the school track.

The grant proposal was written by TABI and has been a TABI project for over two years, per the Park Master Plan. Both TABI and the Terra Alta Economic Development Commission contributed \$5,000 toward the \$10,000 seed money required for the \$40,000 grant. Four TABI members met with the governor along with Senators Hunter and Minear, and Delegate Stevens as they received the grant award.

### Church To Serve Buckwheat Cakes

Maple Spring Church of the Brethren will hold a buckwheat cake and sausage dinner on Saturday, Sept. 23, from 4 until 8 p.m. The cost is \$6 for adults, \$4 for ages 5 to 10, and free for those under 5. Proceeds benefit the church's new building project.

The church is located along Rt. 24 south of Eglon.



**LOCAL GIRL DONATES TO LOCKS OF LOVE** - Micayla Paugh, daughter of Rob and Michelle Paugh of Elk Garden, recently had 13 inches of her hair cut to donate to Locks of Love, a not-for-profit organization that provides hair prosthetics for children who have developed long-term medical hair loss. "This is something that she has always wanted to do to help other kids," said a family spokesperson about Micayla, who is in the fourth grade at Elk Garden Primary School. Kathy Pacella of Hair U Are styling salon in Mt. Storm cut Micayla's hair.

## AURORA/EGLON

**ANNUAL SING**  
The annual sing at the Bethel United Methodist Church at Horse Shoe Run is set for Sept. 24 beginning at 1 p.m. Groups are invited to participate.

### BUCKWHEAT DINNER

A buckwheat cake and sausage dinner is planned for Sept. 23 at the Maple Spring Church of the Brethren, south of Eglon.

Serving will be from 4 until 8 p.m. and donations are \$6 for adults, and \$4 for children 5-10. Pre-schoolers may eat for free. Family Life Center Committee benefits from the proceeds.

### DEATHS NOTED

Arlene Kight Vandenburg, 82, Ft. Meyers, Fla., died at a hospital there Sept. 8. She was a daughter of the late Homer and Lottie Fike Kight. The body will be cremated and a memorial service held later at her home church in Baltimore. She is survived by one son, a sister, Florence Smith who is hospitalized in Winchester, Va., and a brother, Orville Kight, near Mt. Grove; also grandchildren. Her sister, Norma Peterson, preceded her in death, as did her husband.

Mary Evans of Horse Shoe Run was taken Thursday to Garrett County Memorial Hospital suffering from an apparent stroke, and died there on Sunday, Sept. 10. Services were held at St. John's Lutheran Church, Red House, and burial was in Texas Cemetery. Her husband, Orville, one son, Terry, and three daughters, Gloria, Carolyn, and Athena, survive.

Opal Wotring Roy, who died Sept. 1, was the last of the grandchildren of Samuel and Annabelle Harsh

Wotring. Her parents were William Franklin and Dora Virginia Wotring, and all had Union District connection. Now her grandson, Kenny Pomeroy, his wife, Suetette and children, Tyler and Whitney, live at Eglon.

### BLOSSOM COMPETES

Samantha Blossom of Eglon was in Charleston Sept. 2-4 for the Miss Pre-teen West Virginia Competition which is a scholarship and recognition program. After being accepted into the competition, the interviews determined the winner. Samantha was selected as 4th runner-up which means that she is able to compete when the Miss Pre-teen USA is held in Baton Rouge, La. She is the daughter of Doyle and Cathi Harsh, Eglon, and is in 7th grade at East Preston Middle School this year. Persons who would like to help sponsor her trip to Louisiana (which is a week-long stay) may contact her

### Soup/Pepperoni Sale Slated By Wesleyan Women

The Wesleyan Women of the Terra Alta Wesleyan Church will hold a soup/pepperoni sale on Saturday, Sept. 23.

Items offered will include homemade vegetable soup (with or without beef) for \$3.50 per quart, and large pepperoni rolls for \$1 each or six for \$5.

To place an order, persons may call Roxie Bucklew at 304-329-0787 or Shirley Groves at 304-329-0617 before 9 p.m. on Thursday, Sept. 21.

## 50TH ANNIVERSARY

"Fifty years together" was the subject for a planned surprise celebration for Robert and Wilma Snyder Shaffer of Silver Lake. Their sons, Bradley and Larry, and their families planned the occasion and hosted it Saturday, Sept. 9, at the Aurora United Methodist Memorial Building. They now reside in the Shepherdstown and Bunker Hill areas of West Virginia but returned for the occasion.

### PERSONAL MENTION

Jim Bolyard of Amboy was injured last Wednesday evening when his 4-wheeler reportedly ran away with him, came to an abrupt stop in a ditch, and flung him against the dashboard. He injured his knee and went Thursday to the ER at Garrett Memorial for examination. He is recuperating at home.

Dale and Wilda Harsh of Aurora went this past weekend to Massillon, Ohio, where they stayed with Larry and Rose Collier, and also visited with Richard and Charlene Harsh in Copley, Ohio. On Saturday evening they all went to Fairview, Pa., where a wedding reception was held for Michael and Jeannine Harsh, Dale's grandson, who was married July 15, in Seattle, Wash., where they reside.

United Methodist Women held their Fall Meeting Saturday at Parsons. Those attending from Aurora were Martha Bolyard, Jessie Fedorow,

## Shirley Parsons, Rennie Conrad, and Alma Snyder

The fall conference of the West Virginia Retired School Employees was held Sept. 5 and 6 at Flatwoods. Those attending from Preston were Patty Snyder of Kingwood, and Hazel Durst, Lois Strawser, and Wilma Mae Teets of the Aurora area.

Florence Kight Smith of Moorefield has been hospitalized at the Winchester Medical Center and is to undergo two weeks of therapy prior to having kidney stone surgery.

Grandparents' Day was celebrated at the Maple Spring Church by the youth preparing a chicken dinner for all grandparents.

## Woman's Club To Host Craft Show

The Canaan Valley Woman's Club of Davis will hold its 10th annual craft show Saturday, Sept. 23, from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. at the Canaan Valley fire hall, located along Rt. 32 seven miles south of Davis.

More than 35 tables/space will be set up with handmade crafts, and food will be sold during the event by the Canaan Valley Volunteer Fire Department Ladies Auxiliary.

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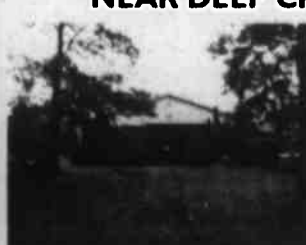
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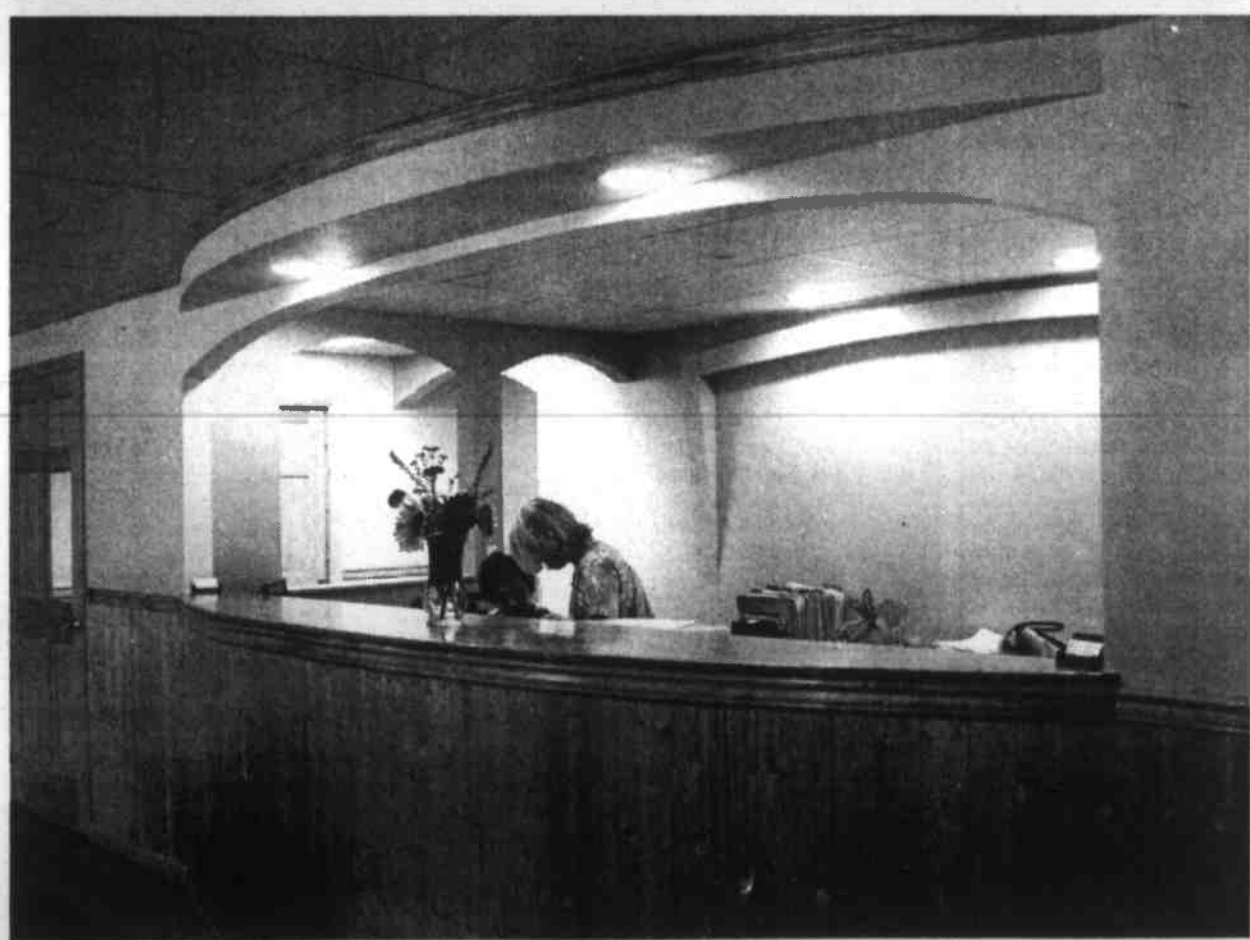
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## MOUNTAIN LAKE PARK

**Phase I, Sewer Rehabilitation Project Update** - Main line construction on Phase I of the Sewer Rehabilitation Project is 100% complete and line testing has begun. Project-wide reclamation and clean-up continues. Paving repairs on Pensinger Blvd. include a complete paving overlay of 500 lineal feet of the upper section of the road toward Dennett Road. Once project testing and reclamation are deemed complete by the contractor, the town, the town's independent inspector, and the contractor will inspect the project, noting any additional work which needs to be done. Any deficiencies in the project, including clean-up and reclamation, will have to be corrected prior to the town's acceptance of the project as complete. After acceptance of the project by the town, the project, including reclamation and restoration, is warranted by the contractor for a period of one year.

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regarding the scope of the project and the construction schedule will be provided in this column as it becomes available.

**Crystal Spring Loop Trail Project** - Construction on this trail, to be constructed in the large open area north of the intersection of Youghiogheny Drive and Oakland Avenue, begins this week, with estimated completion in mid-November.

**B&O Walking Trail Project** - Grant funding is expected to be available in October for this 4,400-foot trail, to be constructed adjacent to the CSX right of way. The design phase is to be completed during the upcoming fall and winter months. It is expected that the project will be ready for bidding by spring of 2007, with an estimated construction completion date of summer 2007. This will be the third phase in the town's eight-phase Comprehensive Walking Trail Plan, which, once completed, will consist of approximately five miles of inter-connecting trails, spanning the town from its northeast to its southwest corner.

**Reminder of Fall Clean-Up** - The Town of Mountain Lake Park will have Fall Clean-Up Week September 25-29. The requirements for this service follow:

- Nothing is to be set out any earlier than 48 hours before September 18.
- No debris is to be put in or along alleyways.
- Items must be at curbside by 7 a.m. Monday, Sept. 25.
- The town will make one pass only on each street.
- Acceptable items are: appliances (without Freon), furniture, and other household items not normally accepted in the weekly curbside collection. Items the town will not pick up include, but are not limited to: commercial waste, liquid waste (including containers of paint, unless the paint has completely solidified), tires, batteries, large automobile parts, yard waste, brush, stumps, and large quantities (over 100 lbs. per household) of construction or demolition debris. All metal must be placed in a separate pile.

## ACCIDENT

The September town meeting was held Thursday, Sept. 7, at the town hall.

The Accident Community Planning Group will sponsor a bike rodeo from 10 a.m. until noon on Sept. 23 at the Accident Elementary School. Those wishing to participate are asked to bring their bike and helmet.

Residents are asked not to put tires, couches, and ordinary household trash on the brush burn pile.

Trick-or-treat will be held on Tuesday, Oct. 31, from 6 to 7 p.m.

The next town meeting will be Thursday, Oct. 5, starting at 7:30 p.m.

Jonathan Neville  
Receives Degree

Jonathan Neville recently graduated from the University of Maryland Clark School of Engineering with a bachelor of science degree in electrical engineering. While at Maryland, he earned dean's list recognition. Also, as part-time employment, he helped maintain some of the university's web pages.

Neville has accepted a job at Chesapeake Sciences Corporation in Millersville, as an electrical engineer. Chesapeake Sciences Corporation (CSC) is a high technology Maryland company chartered in July 1991 to design and manufacture electronic data acquisition systems for use in Anti-Submarine Warfare, ship self defense, acoustic ranges, and geophysical exploration products. Chesapeake Sciences has been listed in *Inc. 500* and *Washington Technology* publications as one of

the fastest growing privately held small businesses in the United States.

He is a 2002 graduate of Southern Garrett High School, and is the son of Jim and Jenny Neville of Mtn. Lake Park.

Calligraphy Class  
To Be Held At  
Kitzmiller Library

The Kitzmiller Library will offer free calligraphy classes three Monday evenings in October from 6 to 7 p.m. Gail Armstrong of

Kitzmiller will teach these classes on Oct. 2, 9, and 16. Interested persons can register for the class in person at the Kitzmiller Li-

brary or call Diane K. branch manager, at 453-3368. The first 10 people to sign up will receive free calligraphy pen.

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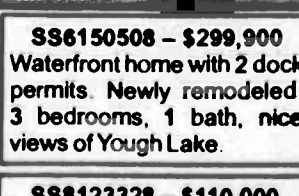
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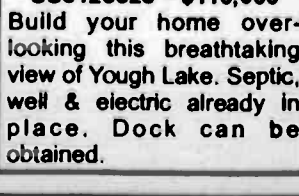
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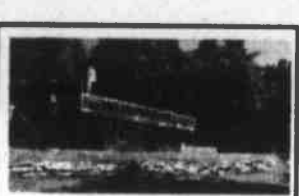
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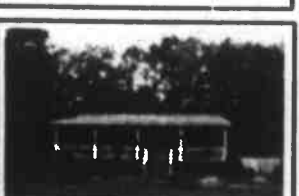
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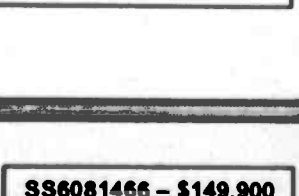
**SS6123328 - \$110,000**  
Build your home overlooking this breathtaking view of Yough Lake. Septic, well & electric already in place. Dock can be obtained.



**GA6175947 - \$279,500**  
ULTIMATE PRIVACY! Well maintained 2 bedroom, 2 bath home with large heated garage, new well & heat on 2+ acres. Within walking distance of Deep Creek State Park and close to all lake activities. Enjoy hunting, snowmobiling, hiking, biking and skiing trails.



**GA6164560 - \$199,900**  
Charming 3BR, 2BA ranch-style home on 0.46 acre adaptable for any size family. This home is just like new - completely renovated in 2006 with 3 forms of heating, 2 living rooms, fully finished walk-out basement and an outdoor shed/workshop. Enjoy the large front covered porch or relax by the pool-side deck in the rear.



**SS6081466 - \$149,900**  
Newly remodeled 4BR, 2BA home located minutes from the bike trail and Yough Lake. Offering mountain and river views. Great full time or vacation home close to all activities.



**GA6180426 - \$175,000**  
Convenient to Yough River Whitewater takeout area. This 3BR, 2BA house backs to the Yough River. New carpet and vinyl.



**GA6159411 - \$88,500**  
Situated in the middle of Amish country is this 3BR mobile home w/full finished basement w/slider to the yard, FR, pellet stove, carport & covered front deck with views, all on 0.68 acre.



**GA6180510 - \$49,900**  
Well-kept mobile home on 2+ Loch Lynn town lots. 1980 Duck model w/3BR, 2BA, built-in fireplace, 18'x21' carport, large living room w/kickout, back deck & front porch. New carpet & vinyl thru most of the home.



**SS6166690 - \$49,900**  
Level building lot in the heart of Confluence. Can be used as residential, commercial or both. Great location for a storage business.

MARYLAND  
LOTS & LAND

**GA6133304 - \$599,000**  
Beautiful 36.32 acre parcel with breathtaking 360 degree views. This property allows you great views of the surrounding mountains and Deep Creek Lake. Existing home is a tear down; original barn still stands. Development potential!

**GA6165223 - \$299,900**  
This .72 acre lot is located in the beautiful mountain top community of Highline. Enjoy the jog/ walking path as well as access to the slopes at Wisp Ski & Golf Resort.

**GA6163282 - \$110,000**  
Lovely wooded lot with pastoral views, minutes from DCL State Park. Perfect location for a cabin in the woods.

**GA6178488 - \$67,000**  
Calling all outdoor enthusiasts! 9+ acres of rolling pasture land and plenty of open space for your ATV & hiking experience. See it today!

**Bethlehem Road Lots**  
25 acres each, reclaimed strip mine, largely wooded. Lot A with pond. Perfect for outdoor recreation and hunting.  
Lot A - GA6174583 - \$89,000  
Lot B - GA6174668 - \$79,000  
Lot C - GA6174694 - \$79,000  
Lot D - GA6174718 - \$79,000

WEST  
VIRGINIA

**GT6165617 - \$56,000**  
Charming & cozy 3BR newly remodeled home in immaculate condition. 10 miles to Mt Storm & 20 miles to Oakland. Great home for first time home buyers, 100% financing available. Potomac River within walking distance.



**GA5329820 - \$1,399,000**  
Perched atop the mountain, 800' above the lake, "VAHALLA" is a custom-built home offering a media room, sauna, wine cellar, library, private office, grant staircase, custom furnishings amidst the soaring beams and unique design.



**GA5490577 - \$699,000**  
"Shooting Stars" This mountain chalet w/lake views, within walking distance to the slopes, Olympic Whitewater Rafting course and village is great for year-round recreation. Sold furnished; established rental history.



**GA6136800 - \$385,000**  
Beautiful ski-in/ski-out townhome. This 2BR townhome has breathtaking year-round views of Deep Creek Lake and a stone fireplace and hot tub to enjoy on those cold winter evenings. Seller is offering a \$5,000 upgrade allowance in addition to the new roof & exterior painting already completed!



**PR6103522 - \$324,500**  
24+ acre horse farm features a masterfully renovated 2-story Cape Cod home, a 32x40 2-story 5-stall barn with heated tack room, a 24x40 det. garage, 3 pastures w/beautiful farmland views & more! Owner financing available to qualified buyers.



**GA5518193 - \$285,000**  
Storybook log cabin. Two acres overlooking rolling fields & mountains. Three bedrooms, approx 1,600 sq. ft. fully finished lower level, deck and covered porch. Paved driveway. Close to state parks and forests. Come, see for yourself. Charming and cozy!

**GA5551026 - \$275,000**  
Carmel Cove offers a wooded mountain setting close to the State park with a nearly half mile long lakefront common area. This large interior lot comes with a dock slip, access to public water (hook-up required) and is approved for septic.

**GA6009555 - \$229,000**  
Picture perfect cabin in the woods! Main cabin includes kitchen, bath, dining, living room area with wood stove & loft bedroom. Separate lower level has kitchenette, living room, bath and bedroom. All this on 9 tranquil acres with deeded access to Bear Creek Trout Stream!



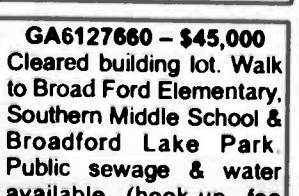
**GA6046683 - \$194,500**  
New 3BR, 2BA construction on 0.83 of a private wooded acre in Yough Mtn. Resort, a gated community located near Oakland and Deep Creek Lake that offers almost everything an outdoor enthusiast would look for.



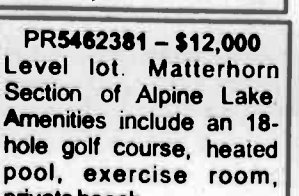
**GA6076435 - \$180,000**  
SAVOR THE VIEWS from this well cared for, contemporary 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath home on 1+ acre. Conveniently located between Oakland and Deep Creek Lake, this home offers many recent improvements and a 2-car garage with attic storage.

PRICE  
CHANGES

**PR6133686 - \$129,900**  
3BR, 2.5BA w/central air on 1 ac. w/small stream. Attached 1-car garage & large detached garage w/two bays w/oversized doors. Large covered side porch, front deck, full basement w/2" kitchen. Between Deep Creek & Canaan.



**GA6127680 - \$45,000**  
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**PR5462381 - \$12,000**  
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## ACCIDENT

### NORTH STAR 4-H CLUB

Members of the North Star 4-H Club met at the Accident fire hall on Monday, Sept. 11, for their regular 4-H meeting. Kara Savage and Kevin Haenfling led the pledges. Roll call was answered by naming a favorite school subject.

Darlene Schmidt, leader, led the group in playing a game using newspaper to dress a member as a famous person. Members dressed friends to be George Washington, Dr. Seuss's character Cat in the Hat, Sponge Bob, and Robin Hood. Kara gave a fair booth report. Angela and Helaina LaMastus and Jessica Poling gave a Garritt Co. Fair report, along with Kara, Rachel, and Kevin. Visitors at the club meeting were Cary Mullis, and Darien Burton.

Rachel Schmidt mentioned that she is wrapping up her blanket drive at the

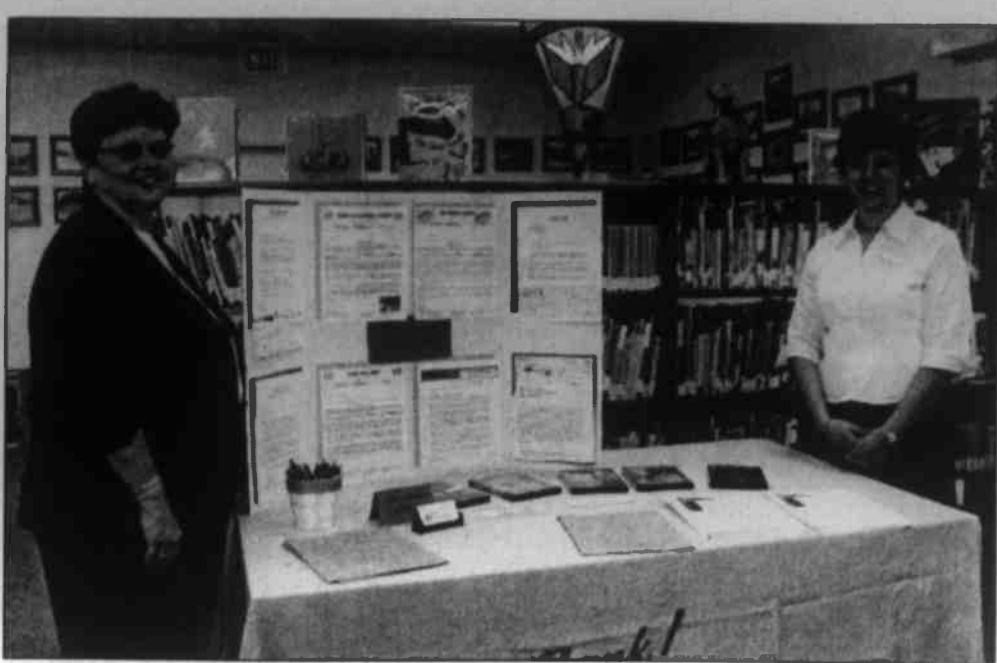
end of September. So anyone who has any blankets to donate are asked to have them to her by September 30.

The group planned a trip to a soup kitchen in Morgantown to serve dinner on Saturday, Nov. 4. The club will also be going to the Springs Folk Festival on Oct. 7, meeting at the Grantsville tennis courts at 9 a.m., then going to the Cove Corn Maze at 4 p.m. that same day. They also planned a trip for bowling at the Bowler in LaVale and pizza at Pizza Hut on Sunday, Oct. 22, meeting at Keyser's Ridge McDonald's at 1 p.m. The club is selling baby beef raffle tickets.

Kevin Haenfling ended the meeting by giving a computer Lego car demonstration.

### NHS SPORTS

The volleyball team will host Meyersdale on Monday, Sept. 18, at 6 and 7:30 p.m. They will travel to Ft. Hill on Tuesday, Sept. 19, and to Beall on Thursday,



**PROTECTING AGAINST IDENTITY THEFT** — Barbara Sweitzer, on the left, and Lisa Swiger, both of First United Bank presented an awareness program at Accident Library recently about identity theft. They discussed the ever-present scams and noted simple ways to protect oneself against theft and fraud, such as keeping account numbers private, depositing mail in the blue drop boxes or at the post office, and requesting a credit report once a year. "If you lose a check, call the bank immediately," urged Swiger, security assistant. Sweitzer, First United security officer, cautioned persons to check all bank and credit card statements for discrepancies and to notify the bank immediately if any are noted. A DVD about mail fraud was shown, followed by group discussion. "We want to educate the customers," said Sweitzer. Any organization that wants to present a program about identity theft should contact Sweitzer at 301-533-2348 or by e-mail at [basweitzer@mybank-firstunited.com](mailto:basweitzer@mybank-firstunited.com).

Sept. 21, with games starting at 6 and 7:30 both nights.

The boys' soccer team will host Westmar Saturday, Sept. 16, at 7 p.m.

The girls' soccer team will compete at Southern on Tuesday, Sept. 19, at 6 p.m.

The JV football team will host Sevier School on Saturday, Sept. 23, at 4 p.m.

The varsity football team will host Berkeley Springs on Friday, Sept. 15, at 7 p.m.

Members of the golf team will compete against Allegany at the Cumberland Country Club on Tuesday, Sept. 19, at 4 p.m.

### GALS Group To Hold Event

The Garrett Area Ladies Society (GALS), originated by Maggie Lemak, has scheduled its September event.

A workshop dealing with the psychological development of women will be held on Wednesday, Sept. 20, at Cornish Manor, beginning at 6 p.m. Terry Kasecamp, professor of psychology at Garrett College, will be the speaker. Reservations are required.

Persons interested in joining the group may contact Lemak at 301-387-7800.

### Child Care Workers Course Set At Garrett

A 90-hour training course for child care workers will be offered by the Continuing Education and Workforce Development Division of Garrett College.

The course will be held at the Southern Outreach Center beginning Tuesday, Sept. 26. Sessions will be held Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday from 6 to 9:15 p.m.

For more details or for registration information, persons should contact Patricia Baer at 301-334-8304.

### Gospel Sing To Be Held At Oak Park Church

The Oak Park Church of the Brethren, located at 110 Church Lane, Oakland, will sponsor a gospel sing featuring Cindy Sites on Sunday, Sept. 17, at 7 p.m.

Sites is an inspirational singer with a versatile style that ranges from country to easy-listening to southern, said a spokesperson. She said she has a purpose to share a message of hope in God's love through her music. Sites first visited Oak Park four years ago.

The public is invited to attend, and a free will offering will be taken.

For more information, persons may call the church at 301-334-2243.

### Garrett To Offer Course On Energy Issues Of Interest

A three-session course on Energy and Environmental Issues of Interest to the Average Consumer will be offered Tuesdays, Sept. 26, through Oct. 10, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m., by the Continuing Education and Workforce Development Division of Garrett College.

This is a non-technical course geared toward the average person who wishes to know more about the prices one pays for energy, the environmental impacts of one's energy usage, and what one can do about both of those issues.

The class will be broken down to three main topics: electricity generation, transportation, and residential consumption.

For more information or to register, persons may contact Kista Wilt at 301-387-3069 or via e-mail at [kwilt@garrettcollege.edu](mailto:kwilt@garrettcollege.edu).

### TERRA ALTA

Continued from Page C-4 last Tuesday.

Construction for the trail will begin in the spring/summer of 2007 after a contractor has been selected through a bidding process. The 6-foot-wide ADA accessible trail will have a tightly packed, smooth surface made of crushed limestone, and will be approximately one mile in length creating a loop trail, including the school track, of about 2 1/2 miles.

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on Thursdays from 4 to 6 p.m. at the Wellness Center. The dates are Sept. 14, 21, Oct. 5, 12, 19, 26, and Nov. 2 and 9. These are free classes and participants may join in at any time.

The annual Healthy Families Night Out will be held on Saturday, Oct. 14, at 6 p.m. It will be at the Terra Alta Community Building JC and the Boys will play. There will be some refreshments and prizes.

Future programs planned for the Terra Alta Wellness Center include advance directives by Hospice, and pandemic flu information by Preston County Health Department.

All the above programs are free and open to the public. They are sponsored by the Terra Alta Wellness Association, which is a group of volunteers.

The next meeting of the Terra Alta Wellness Association is Thursday, Sept.

21, at 6 p.m., at the Fit and Fabulous Center along Rt. 7 East in Terra Alta.

### DOG RESCUE

A puppy mill has been exposed, and many dogs have died or are in critical condition. But several are healthy and ready for adoption, and residents are asked to help. These dogs are Aussie/Lab mixes, and are 8 weeks old. There are also two miniature female schnauzers. For information on adoption, persons may call Carol Burdick at 304-789-6864.

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## Thank You

Snowy Creek 4-H members and families would like to give a special thank-you to Somerfield able for purchasing and donating a market hog and to Gary Guard Trucking for purchasing and donating a market lamb to our club.

We would also like to thank the Fair Board, Livestock Association, award sponsors, livestock buyers and backup bidders, 4-H Extension Office personnel, and all those involved with the 2006 50th Garrett County Agriculture Fair

Snowy Creek 4-H Club members and families would like to thank the following business for their support during 2006.

American Industrial Fence  
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Gary Guard Trucking  
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Precision Pallets  
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Sometimes something clicks  
And with a smile  
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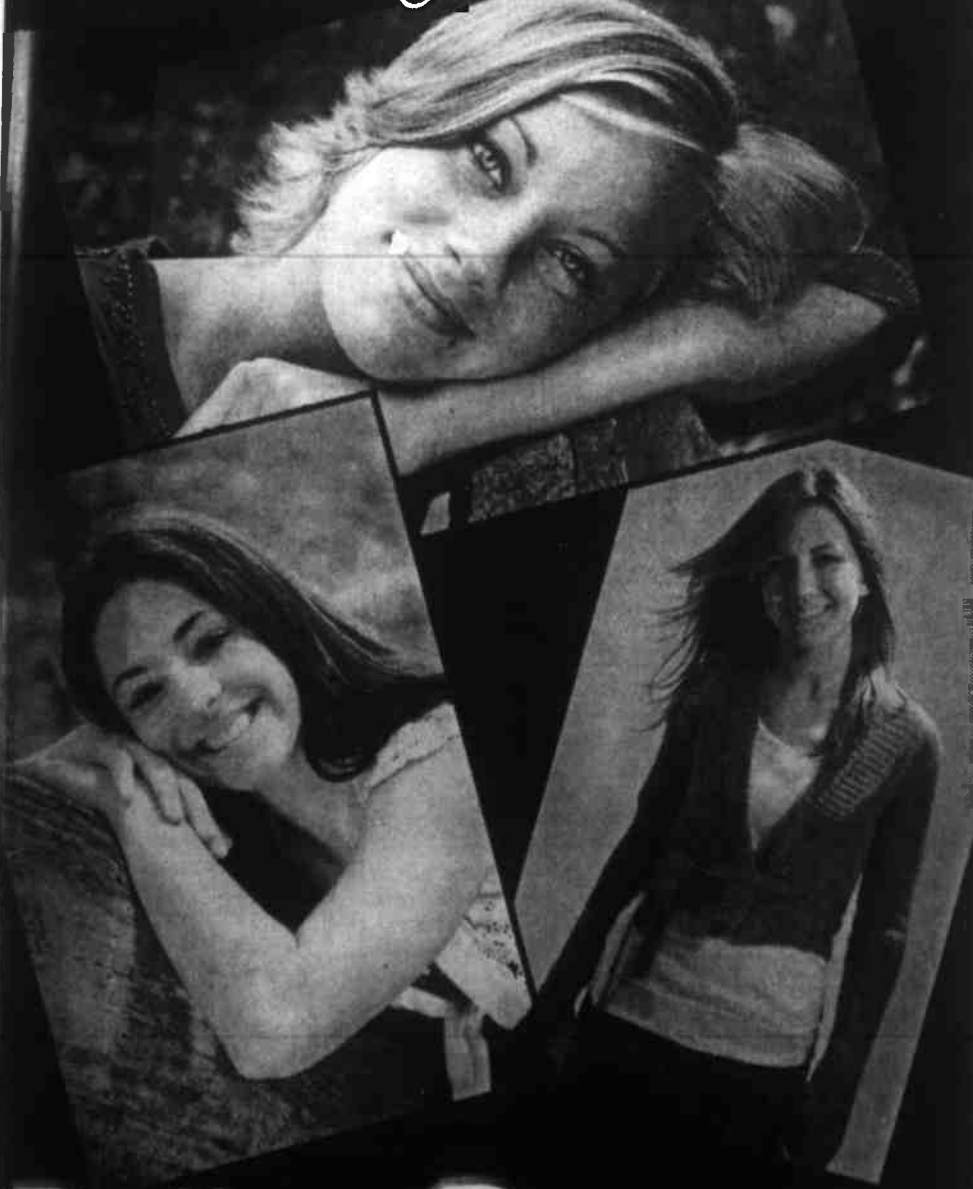
Splendor will be an insert in The Republican a week before the festival and will also be hand-delivered to area stores, restaurants and points of interest the week of the festival.

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## Farming On The Mountaintop



**A VICTORY SWEEP** - In the state lawn and garden tractor contest, Garrett County swept the top three spots in the intermediate division and the first spot in the senior division. Pictured below, from left, are Jordan Skipper, senior division first place winner; Nathan Tichnell, intermediate division first place winner; Greg Tichnell, intermediate second place winner; and Mikal Perrine, intermediate third place winner. Jordan Skipper will also represent Maryland in the national contest. In addition, Jordan competed as an FFA member in the tractor safety event (large tractor) and placed 7th. Last year's state winner, Eric Tichnell, assisted with the lawn and garden tractor contest.

### Garrett County Youth Travel To State Fair

Numerous Garrett County youth gained wins in various categories at the recent Maryland State Fair.

#### Sheep

##### Market Class

In the market class, Justin Fitzwater placed 1st in his class, then received the reserve grand champion title.

Ryan Fitzwater showed two market lambs and received 4th and 7th place in

the individual weight classes.

Brandon Georg showed one market lamb and placed 1st in his class.

Ryan Miller showed one market lamb and placed 6th in his class.

Ethan Broadwater showed one market lamb and placed 5th in his class.

##### Breeding

In the breeding sheep, Suffolk registered class, Justin Fitzwater received 3rd place for his junior ram lamb and Ryan Miller received 2nd place for his yearling ram.

In the junior ewe lamb category, Ethan Broadwater placed 2nd, Justin Fitzwater placed 3rd and 4th, Ashley Rodeheaver was 8th, and Ryan Miller was 9th.

Justin Fitzwater came in 2nd in the pair of lambs category.

In the yearling ewe category, Ethan Broadwater placed 2nd, Justin Fitzwater placed 4th and 7th, and Ryan Miller was 8th.

In the flock category, Justin Fitzwater placed 3rd and Ryan Miller was 5th.

#### Showmanship

In sheep showmanship, Garrett County winners were as follows:

Justin Fitzwater, 2nd, senior division, age 17 to 18 class; Ryan Fitzwater, 6th, senior division, age 14 class; Ashley Rodeheaver, 4th, senior division, age 14 class; Ethan Broadwater, 8th, senior division, age 15 class; and Ryan Miller, 5th, intermediate division, age 13 class.

#### Beef Market

In the market class category, Randi Rodeheaver placed 1st in her class, and Lee Custer placed 1st in his class.

#### Showmanship

In showmanship, Randi Rodeheaver placed 2nd in her age class, Lee Custer was 4th in his age class, Todd Custer was 7th in his age class, and Justin Ashby was 6th in his age class.

#### Breeding

In the breeding class, Lee Custer placed 1st with his heifer.

#### Goats

The meat goat class is in its 4th year at the Maryland State Fair. There were a total of 200 meat goats exhibited, with 17 of those coming from Garrett County.

Levi Lantz received a champion title for his registered Boer buck.

In the registered Boer goat doe class, Aaron Lantz came in 2nd and Ryan Miller was 3rd.

Levi and Aaron also exhibited market goats, and all three participated in the



**DAIRY EXHIBITORS** - Pictured above are the participants in the dairy show at the Maryland State Fair. From left are Chelsi Kling and Amber Kling.

showmanship contest.

#### Dairy

Chelsi Kling and Amber Kling participated in the dairy contest. Chelsi received the supreme grand champion title for her red and white Holstein entry.

#### Hog

Cecale Georg won 5th place for her Hampshire registered boar pig.

#### Dress Revue

Sarah Rexroad won the champion title in her class in the category of constructed garment, business/professional.

Allison Malone won the champion title in her class in the category of ready-to-wear garment, business/professional.

#### Photo Challenge

Levi Lantz won the title of champion in the junior division.

Aaron Lantz won the title of champion in the 11-year-old intermediate division.

#### Welding

Catlin Carrico came in 2nd, Eric Tichnell was 5th, and J.B. Gnegy was 4th.

Lawn and Garden Tractor



**GOAT SHOW PARTICIPANTS** - Pictured above are the Garrett County participants in the goat show. From left, are Ryan Miller, Aaron Lantz, and Levi Lantz. Below is Levi Lantz, whose goat was named champion registered Boer buck.

In the senior division, Jordan Skipper won 1st place.

In the intermediate division, Nathan Tichnell won 1st place, Greg Tichnell was Continued on Page C-9



**WELDING CONTEST** - Several local youth participated in the state welding contest. Pictured above, from left, are Catlin Carrico, who placed 2nd; Eric Tichnell, who came in 5th; and J.B. Gnegy, who placed 4th.



## Preston County

### Farm Service Agency Reports

**Eric M. McCartney, County Executive Director**  
**Preston County FSA Office**  
425 E. Main St., Suite 420, Kingwood, WV 26537-1793  
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#### Final DCP Payments for 2006 Scheduled

Eric M. McCartney, executive director for USDA's Farm Service Agency in Preston County, reminds producers enrolled in FSA's Direct and Counter-Cyclical Program (DCP) they can expect their final direct payment to be directly deposited into personal bank accounts sometime during the first few weeks of October.

Producers who did not elect to receive an advance direct payment will receive their entire direct payment for the year in one lump sum after the end of the fiscal year. The direct payment for a crop equals 85 percent of the farm's base acreage times (x) the farm's direct payment yield times (x) the direct payment rate.

"For those not yet enrolled, September 29 is also the final date for producers to pay a late file fee of \$100 to actually enroll in DCP," said McCartney.

McCartney also reminded producers that if any changes that affect the interest in base acres have been made since signing the last Direct and Counter-Cyclical Program contract, the successions-in-interest must be reported to the county committee by September 29, so that a final determination can be made on who is program eligible on the property.

Changes that qualify as a succession-in-interest include: a sale of land, a change of operator or producer, including an increase or decrease in the number of partners; a foreclosure, bankruptcy, or involuntary loss of the farm; and a change in the producer's share of the crop(s) that were originally approved on the contract.

"If a succession-in-interest has taken place, you are required to refund any advance DCP payments you received for the affected base acres before a payment can be made to the successor," said McCartney. "Not reporting a succession-in-interest can result in contract termination and a loss of program benefits for all producers involved."

A revised form CCC-509, Direct and Counter-Cyclical Program Contract, with all succession changes must be complete with all signatures by September 29 for payments to be distributed.

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**SEVERAL GARRETT COUNTY YOUTH** traveled to Timonium recently to show their animals at the Maryland State Fair. Pictured above are participants in the sheep show. In the front row, from left, are Ashley Rodeheaver, Cecalea Georg, and Devan Yoder. In the second row are Ryan Miller, Justin Fitzwater, and Becky Berkebile. In the back row are Ethan Broadwater and Ryan Fitzwater. Cecalea Georg also exhibited her Hampshire registered boar pig, winning 5th place. Pictured below are participants in the beef show. In the front row, from left, are Todd Custer and Justin Ashby. In the back row are Lee Custer and Randi Rodeheaver.



**DRESS REVUE CHAMPIONS** - Pictured above, from left, are Sarah Rexroad and Allison Malone, who each won the champion title in their class at the state fair. Sarah entered in the category of constructed garment, business/professional, and Allison entered in the ready to wear garment, business/professional category.

## Travel To Fair

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2nd, and Mikail Perrine was 3rd.

**Tractor Safety (Large Tractor)**  
Jordan Skipper competed as an FFA member and placed 7th.

Eric Tichnell competed as a 4-H member and placed 2nd.

**Engineering**  
Levi Lantz won the

champion junior title in the computer event.

Eric Tichnell placed 2nd in the senior division of the computer contest.

Katelyn Gnegy placed 1st in the intermediate age group of the computer event.

J.B. Gnegy placed 1st in the senior division of the electrical energy contest.

Aaron Lantz won the champion title in the inter-

mediate division of the small gas engine event. In addition to the champion ribbon and trophy, J.B. Gnegy will represent Maryland at the national engineering contest.

**Bicycle**  
Faith Tichnell placed 4th in the 8-year-old division. Greg Tichnell placed 4th in the 11-year-old division. Nathan Tichnell placed first in the 12-year-old division.

Katelyn Gnegy placed 2nd in the 13-year-old division. Eric Tichnell placed 3rd in the 15-year-old division.

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Market report for Monday, September 11, 2006.

Stock Steers and Bulls (200-500 lbs.), \$80-134; Stock Heifers, \$75-115.

Slaughter Steers, good to choice, \$85-88.25; medium to good, \$80-84.50; heavy choice (over 1,450 lbs.), \$75-82.50.

Holstein Steers, heavy choice, \$60-75; light (500 to 600 lbs.), up to \$81.

Slaughter Heifers, good to choice, \$81-87; medium to good, \$75-82.50.

Bulls, heavy, \$51.50-60; light, \$55-71.

Cows, utility, \$45-52.25; commercial to good, \$43-47; culls, \$39 and down.

Veals, good to choice, \$40-115; medium to good, \$50-67.

Bob Calves, \$50 and down. Holstein Bull Calves, return to farm (85-120 lbs.), up to \$210.

Holstein Heifer Calves, return to farm (85-120 lbs.), up to \$550.

Beef Cross Calves, return to farm, up to \$215.

Hogs, top quality, up to \$52.

Heavy, up to \$49; light, \$20-47; feeder pigs, by head, up to \$34.

Sows, up to \$35. Male Hogs, \$8-50.

Lambs (70-85 lbs.), up to \$110; (85-125 lbs.), up to \$98; (30-60 lbs.), up to \$135; culls, up to \$75.

Sheep, up to \$52.50, fat sheep, up to \$35.

Goats, large, by head, \$85-145; medium, by head, \$25-80; small, by head, \$10-50.

**PUBLIC NOTICES**  
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR GARRETT COUNTY, MARYLAND

Case Number 11-C-06-9555  
Angela Blythe, Assignee Plaintiff

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Brian Smith, Defendant

**NOTICE**  
Notice is hereby given this 11th day of September 2006, by the Circuit Court for Garrett County, Maryland, that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings and described as 371 Nazareth Road, Oakland, Maryland, made and reported by Angela Blythe, Assignee, will be RATIFIED AND CONFIRMED, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 11th day of October 2006, provided a copy of this NOTICE be inserted in some daily newspaper printed in said County, once in each of three successive weeks before the 29th day of September 2006.

The Report stated the purchase price at the Foreclosure Sale to be \$240,000.00.  
David K. Martin  
Clerk, Circuit Court for Garrett County, Maryland

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**PHOTO CHALLENGE WINNERS** - One category at the Maryland State Fair was known as the photo challenge. Each participant was given a disposable camera and told to capture 4-H in action. They then had 1½ hours to shoot 24 pictures. Once they were developed, participants each picked their best five to be judged. There were over 100 entrants, and Garrett County's Levi Lantz (above, left) was selected as the champion in the junior division, while Aaron Lantz was the champion in the 11-year-old intermediate division.

\$51. Sows, up to \$33.  
Lambs, choice, up to \$101.50.  
Goats, choice (by head), \$20-62.

**GRANTSVILLE STOCKYARDS**  
Market report for Saturday, September 9, 2006.

Stock Steers & Bulls (200-500 lbs.), \$70-142.

Stock Heifers, \$70-130.

Slaughter Steers, good to choice, up to \$85; medium to good, \$60-74.

Holstein Steers, good, \$48-65; light, up to \$95.

Slaughter Heifers, good to choice, up to \$82; medium to good, \$55-80.

Bulls, heavy, \$48-60; light, \$60-72.

Cows, utility (Holsteins), \$45-52.50; canners, \$40-44; culls, \$38 and down.

Bob Calves, \$62-50 & down.

Holstein Bull Calves, return to farm (90-120 lbs.), up to \$200.

Holstein Heifer Calves, return to farm, up to \$260.

Beef Cross Calves, return to farm, up to \$135.

Hogs, top quality, up to \$52; heavy, up to \$49; light, \$20-47; feeder pigs, by head, up to \$34.

Sows, up to \$35. Male Hogs, \$8-50.

Lambs (70-85 lbs.), up to \$110; (85-125 lbs.), up to \$98; (30-60 lbs.), up to \$135; culls, up to \$75.

Sheep, up to \$52.50, fat sheep, up to \$35.

Goats, large, by head, \$85-145; medium, by head, \$25-80; small, by head, \$10-50.

**PUBLIC NOTICES**  
NOTICE OF ABANDONED VESSEL

Notice is hereby given that the following vessel has apparently been abandoned for over 180 days on the property of Deep Creek Marina, 1077 Deep Creek Drive, McHenry, MD 21541, and phone number 301-387-6977.

The vessel is described as: 17' Carvelite, Pennsylvania registration PA 5988 GG. The hull number is CVB43609M74K and the vessel is brown with a white stripe. The owner is John Magar, 576 Irwin Run Road, West Milford, PA 15122.

Application for title will be made in accordance with Section 8-722 of the Annotated Code of Maryland, Natural Resources Article if the vessel is not claimed and removed from the above property within 30 days of this notice.

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**PUBLIC NOTICES**  
NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR STRIP MINE PERMIT

Notice is hereby given that Moran Coal Company Inc., P.O. Drawer E, Westport, Maryland 21562 has submitted an application to the Maryland Bureau of Mines for a surface coal mine operations permit. The operation is to be located near Westport, Maryland. The proposed operation occupies a 104 acre tract on the north side of Savage River, 1.3 miles northwest of Westport, Election District 4, Garrett County; 612,00N/217,000E. Access to the site is from Westport Road, 0.4 mile northwest of the Allegheny/Garrett county line.

Surface and mineral of the area to be mined is owned by Moran Coal Company Inc., P.O. Drawer E, Westport, Maryland 21562. The permit area is located within the US Geologic Barton and Westport, MD 7.5 minute quadrangles, the boundaries being as shown on the attached sketch.

The application includes plans to construct one (1) pond to control sediment and stormwater on the mining area. In addition to a surface coal mining permit the construction of the pond will require a separate small pond approval from the Bureau of Mines.

A copy of the application, which includes the pond plans for the small pond approval, is available for public review at the Maryland Department of the Environment (Bureau of Mines) Office, 160 South Water Street, Frostburg, Maryland 21532 during normal office hours. Questions concerning any aspect of the application may be directed to: Robert L. Dugan Jr., Dugan Associates, 301-689-1568 or the Maryland Bureau of Mines, Permit Section 301-689-6405. A public hearing will not be held on this activity unless requested. Written comments, requests for a public hearing, and requests to be included on the list of interested persons regarding this application, will be received until October 14, 2006, by the Director, Maryland Bureau of Mines, 160 South Water Street, Frostburg, Maryland 21532. Attention: OPA-06-52.

Future notices about this application will be provided by mail to those persons that submit comments, request a public hearing or request to be included on the list of interested persons.

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**PUBLIC NOTICES**  
NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT TO CREDITORS

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF: ROBERT RANSEL WARRICK

Notice is given that Robert Daniel Warrick, 751 Leeger Road, Grantsville, MD 21536, was on September 1, 2006, appointed Personal Representative of the estate of Robert Ransel Warrick, who died on August 16, 2006, without a will.

Further information can be obtained by reviewing the estate file in the office of the Register of Wills or by contacting the personal representative or the attorney.

All persons having any objection to the appointment (or to the probate of the decedent's will) shall file their objections with the Register of Wills on or before the 1st day of March 2007.

Any person having a claim against the decedent must

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present the claim to the undersigned personal representative or file it with the Register of Wills with a copy to the undersigned on or before the earlier of the following dates:

(1) Six months from the date of the decedent's death, except if the decedent died before October 1, 1992, nine months from the date of the decedent's death; or

(2) Two months after the personal representative mails or otherwise delivers to the creditor a copy of this published notice or other written notice, notifying the creditor that the claim will be barred unless the creditor presents the claims within two months from the mailing or other delivery of the notice. A claim not presented or filed on or before that date, or any extension provided by law, is unenforceable thereafter. Claim forms may be obtained from the Register of Wills.

Name of newspaper designated by personal representative: *The Republican*.

Date of Publication: September 7, 2006.

Robert Daniel Warrick  
Personal Representative  
Joseph DiSimone  
Register of Wills  
for Garrett County  
Room 103 Courthouse  
313 E. Alder Street  
Oakland, MD 21550

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## PUBLIC NOTICE

The Deep Creek Watershed Board of Zoning Appeals will conduct a public hearing on Thursday, September 21, 2006, starting at 7:30 p.m. in the County Commissioners' meeting room, second floor, Courthouse Annex, Oakland. The Board will review the following docketed cases:

1. SE-374 - an application submitted by Bailey Realty for a Special Exception permit to establish a temporary real estate office in an existing building. The property is located in the Ridgeview Valley Subdivision at 912 Gravely Run Road (tax map 50, parcel 14) and is zoned Lake Residential (LR).

Interested persons are invited to attend.

By Authority of the Board of Zoning Appeals  
9/7-14 (2)

## INVITATION TO BID

**SINGLE-AXLE DUMP TRUCKS**  
The Board of County Commissioners of Garrett County, Maryland will accept sealed bids for the purchase of four (4) new single-axle dump trucks as specified.

A Pre-Bid Conference will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, September 27, 2006, in the Garrett County Roads Department Meeting Room, 12778 Garrett Highway, Oakland, Maryland 21550.

Bid documents and specifications may be obtained in person from the Garrett County Purchasing Department, 316 East Alder Street, Oakland, Maryland 21550. A copy of the bid documents can also be downloaded from the Purchasing Department's web site at <http://www.garrettcountry.org/Purchasing/CurrentBids.aspx>. Inquiries may be made by calling 301-334-5003.

Sealed bids must be submitted to the Garrett County Purchasing Department, 316 East Alder Street, Oakland, Maryland 21550 on or before Thursday, October 12, 2006, at 1:30 p.m. (local time). Sealed bids will be opened and publicly read aloud in the Commissioners' Meeting Room at 2:00 p.m. on October 12, 2006. All bidders are required to submit six (6) copies of their bid documents at the time of submission. All bids submitted should be enclosed in a sealed envelope and should be clearly marked "Single-Axle Dump Trucks Bid" on the outside of the envelope. Any bids received after the time due will not be considered for award and shall be retained as documentation for the bid file.

The Board of County Commissioners of Garrett County, Maryland reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, to cancel this invitation to bid and to waive technicalities in any part deemed to be in the best interest of Garrett County.

By Order of the Board  
Brian E. Bowers, CPPB  
Purchasing Agent Garrett County Purchasing Department  
9/14-21 (2)

## NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR STRIP MINE PERMIT

Notice is hereby given that G&S COAL COMPANY INC., 21557 Maryland Highway, Bloomington, Maryland 21523, has submitted an application to the Maryland Bureau of Mines for a surface coal mine operations permit. The operation is to be located near Swanton, Maryland. The proposed operation occupies a 10-acre tract on the south side of Maryland Route 135, 4.0 miles northeast of Swanton, Election District 4, Garrett County; 592,500 N/185,000 E. Access to the site is from Maryland Route 135, 1.0 mile southwest of the intersection with Chestnut Grove Road.

Surface of the area to be mined is owned by: Gloria Barnard, 15990 Maryland Highway, Swanton, Maryland 21561, and the mineral is owned by Winner Brothers Coal Company Inc., 19430 Lower Consoil Road, Frostburg, Maryland 21532.

The permit area is located within the U.S. Geologic Survey Kitzmiller, MD, 7.5 minute quadrangle, the boundaries being as shown on the attached sketch.

The application includes plans to construct 1 pond to control sediment and stormwater on the mining area. In addition to a surface coal mining permit the construction of the pond will require a separate small pond approval from the Bureau of Mines.

A copy of the application, which includes the pond plans for the small pond approval, is available for public review at the Maryland Department of the Environment (Bureau of Mines) Office, 160 South Water Street, Frostburg, Maryland 21532 during normal office hours. Questions concerning any aspect of the application may be directed to: Robert L. Dugan Jr., DUGAN ASSOCIATES, 301-689-1568, or the Maryland Bureau of Mines, Permit Section, 301-689-6405. A public hearing will not be held on this activity unless requested. Written comments, requests for a public hearing, and requests to be included on the list of interested persons regarding this application, will be received until October 28, 2006, by the Director, Maryland Bureau of Mines, 160 South Water Street, Frostburg, Maryland 21532.

Future notices about this application will be provided by mail to those persons that submit comments, request a public hearing or request to be included on the list of interested persons.

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2. SE-375 - an application submitted by St. Moritz Properties, LLC, for a Special Exception permit to construct an additional indoor boat storage building on property currently being used for boat storage. The property is located at 683 Harvey Peninsula Road and is zoned LR.

3. VR-615 - an application submitted by Roger Cutright of Silver Tree Enterprises, LLC, for Variances to allow the construction of condominium units that would come within 5.0 feet of a rear property line, instead of the required 15.0 feet, and decks to come within 0.0 feet of the same rear property line, instead of the required 5.0 feet. This application was continued from the August meeting of the Board. The property is located at 567 Glendale Road, tax map 58, parcel 740, and is zoned Town Center.

4. VR-618 - an application submitted by Bruce Swift of S and F Ventures, LLC, for Variances to allow the construction of a residence to come within 12.0 feet of both side property lines, instead of the required 15.0 feet. The applicant also proposes to allow the residence to come within 36.0 feet of the front property line, instead of the required 40.0 feet. The property is located adjacent to 52 Glendale Lanes, tax map 50, parcel 396, Lot 7 and is zoned LR.

Interested persons are invited to attend.

By Authority of the Board of Zoning Appeals  
9/7-14 (2)

## FOR SALE

**RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY**  
The Mayor and Town Council of Grantsville will receive sealed bids at the Town Hall, 171 Hill Street, Grantsville, MD 21536, or by mail addressed to the Town Hall, P.O. Box 296, Grantsville, MD 21536, until 4:00 p.m. on Friday, September 15, 2006, for the purchase of property listed below. Bids must be submitted in a sealed envelope addressed to the Mayor and Town Council, and plainly marked "Sealed Bid for Residential Property." The bids will be publicly opened and read at 7:00 p.m. on Monday, September 18, 2006.

There is a minimum bid of \$27,500.00. The property is zoned "Town Residential." The property is located in Parkside Estates (behind the Town Park beside the Ruth Enlow Library). The lot number coincides with the PLAT CASE DKM 1 FILE 304.

\* Lot 11 - 10,256 sq. ft. Copies of the plat can be picked up at the Town Hall between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Arrangements to view the property can be made by contacting the Town of Grantsville at 301-895-3144.

The Mayor and Town Council reserve the right to reject any and all bids and to accept that bid which it considers to be in its best interest.

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Surface of the area to be mined is owned by: Gloria Barnard, 15990 Maryland Highway, Swanton, Maryland 2



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In accordance with the provisions of Article 25, Section 136, Annotated Code of Maryland, notice is hereby given that the Garrett County General Services Department intends to petition the Board of County Commissioners of Garrett County, Maryland, to open a public road over county land located in Election District No. 3, Garrett County, Maryland, which will be a road serving the Keyser's Ridge Business Park. The subject road is all of a road known as Corporate Ridge Drive and is approximately 0.8 mile in length.

The petition to open the road will be filed with the Board of County Commissioners thirty days following the first publication of this notice on September 14, 2006. Counter petitions may be presented to the County Commissioners by any person wishing to oppose the opening of the road.

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## PUBLIC NOTICE

The Mountain Lake Park Board of Zoning Appeals will conduct a public hearing on September 28, 2006, at 6 p.m. in the Mountain Lake Park Town Hall. The Board will review applications on the following docketed cases:

1. Docket (2006-SE-10) an application made by Arthur Neal Stoner for a Special Exception permit to allow the erection of a fence on his property (tax map 78F, lots 1725 and 1732) located at 1601 Pittsburgh Avenue in a TR - Town Residential Zone.

2. Docket (2006-SE-11) an application made by Craig Abrahamson for a Special Exception Permit to allow the erection of a fence on his property (tax map 78H, parcel 425) located at 116 C Street in a TR - Town Residential Zone.

Interested citizens are welcome to attend.

By Order of the Board

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## INVITATION TO BID

## CRELLIN TEST WELL DRILLING PROJECT

The Board of County Commissioners of Garrett County, Maryland, will accept sealed bids for test well drilling, well construction and aquifer testing associated with a groundwater exploration project in the Crellin area of Garrett County, Maryland.

Bid documents and specifications may be obtained in person from the Garrett County Purchasing Department, 316 East Alder Street, Oakland, Maryland 21550. A copy of the bid documents can also be downloaded from the Purchasing Department's web site at [www.garrettcountry.org/Purchasing/CurrentBids.aspx](http://www.garrettcountry.org/Purchasing/CurrentBids.aspx). Inquiries may be made by calling 301-334-5003.

Sealed bids must be submitted to the Garrett County Purchasing Department, 316 East Alder Street, Oakland, Maryland 21550, on or before Thursday, October 5, 2006, at 1:30 p.m. (local time). Sealed bids will be publicly opened and read aloud in the Commissioners' Meeting Room at 2:00 p.m. on Thursday, October 5, 2006. All bidders are required to submit three (3) copies of their bid documents at the time of submission. All bids submitted should be enclosed in a sealed envelope and should be clearly marked "Crellin Test Well Drilling Project Bid" on the outside of the envelope. Any bids received after the time due will not be considered for award and shall be retained as documentation for the bid file.

The Board of County Commissioners of Garrett County, Maryland, reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, to cancel this invitation to bid and to waive technicalities in any part deemed to be in the best interest of Garrett County.

By Order of the Board  
Brian E. Bowers, CPPB  
Purchasing Agent  
Garrett County Purchasing Department

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## INVITATION TO BID

## CONSTRUCTION OF CLOSET MAID ACCESS ROAD

CONTRACT NO. GA3692M1

F.A.P. No. APL-1(873)E

ARC No. MD-14108-01-4-201b

The Board of County Commissioners of Garrett County, Maryland will accept sealed bids for the construction of a two lane access road from Corporate Drive to the Closet Maid loading docks located in the Northern Garrett Industrial Park in Grantsville, Maryland. A bid bond or certified check in the amount of 5% of the total bid amount shall be submitted with each bid. A performance/payment bond in the full bid amount will be required of the successful contractor. For additional information about this project, visit the Garrett County Purchasing Department's web site at [www.garrettcountry.org/Purchasing/CurrentBids.aspx](http://www.garrettcountry.org/Purchasing/CurrentBids.aspx).

A Pre-Bid Meeting will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, September 25, 2006, in the Commissioners' Public Meeting Room located at 203 South Fourth Street, Room 209 in Oakland, Maryland.

Bid documents and specifications may be obtained in person from the Garrett County Purchasing Department, 316 East Alder Street, Oakland, Maryland 21550. The cost of the bid specifications and drawings is \$100.00 per set and is non-refundable. All out of town contractors must pre-pay for shipping and the cost of the plans. Inquiries may be made by calling 301-334-5003.

Sealed bids must be submitted to the Garrett County Purchasing Department, 316 East Alder Street, Oakland, Maryland 21550 on or before Thursday, October 5, 2006, at 1:30 p.m. (local time). Sealed bids will be publicly opened and read aloud in the Commissioners' Meeting Room at 2:00 p.m. on Thursday, October 5, 2006. All bidders are required to submit three (3) copies of their bid documents at the time of submission. All bids submitted should be enclosed in a sealed envelope and should be clearly marked "Construction of Closet Maid Access Road Bid" on the outside of the envelope. Any bids received after the time due will not be considered for award and shall be retained as documentation for the bid file.

The Board of County Commissioners of Garrett County, Maryland reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, to cancel this invitation to bid and to waive technicalities in any part deemed to be in the best interest of Garrett County.

By Order of the Board  
Brian E. Bowers, CPPB  
Purchasing Agent  
Garrett County Purchasing Department

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## INVITATION TO BID

## MTN. LAKE PARK TEST WELL DRILLING PROJECT

The Board of County Commissioners of Garrett County, Maryland, will accept sealed bids for test well drilling, well construction and aquifer testing associated with a groundwater exploration project in the Mtn. Lake Park areas of Garrett County, Maryland.

Bid documents and specifications may be obtained in person from the Garrett County Purchasing Department, 316 East Alder Street, Oakland, Maryland 21550. A copy of the bid documents can also be downloaded from the Purchasing Department's web site at [www.garrettcountry.org/Purchasing/CurrentBids.aspx](http://www.garrettcountry.org/Purchasing/CurrentBids.aspx). Inquiries may be made by calling 301-334-5003.

Sealed bids must be submitted to the Garrett County Purchasing Department, 316 East Alder Street, Oakland, Maryland 21550, on or before Thursday, October 26, 2006, at 1:30 p.m. (local time). Sealed bids will be publicly opened and read aloud in the Commissioners' Meeting Room at 2:00 p.m. on Thursday, October 26, 2006. All bidders are required to submit three (3) copies of their bid documents at the time of submission. All bids submitted should be enclosed in a sealed envelope and should be clearly marked "Mtn. Lake Park Test Well Drilling Project Bid" on the outside of the envelope. Any bids received after the time due will not be considered for award and shall be retained as documentation for the bid file.

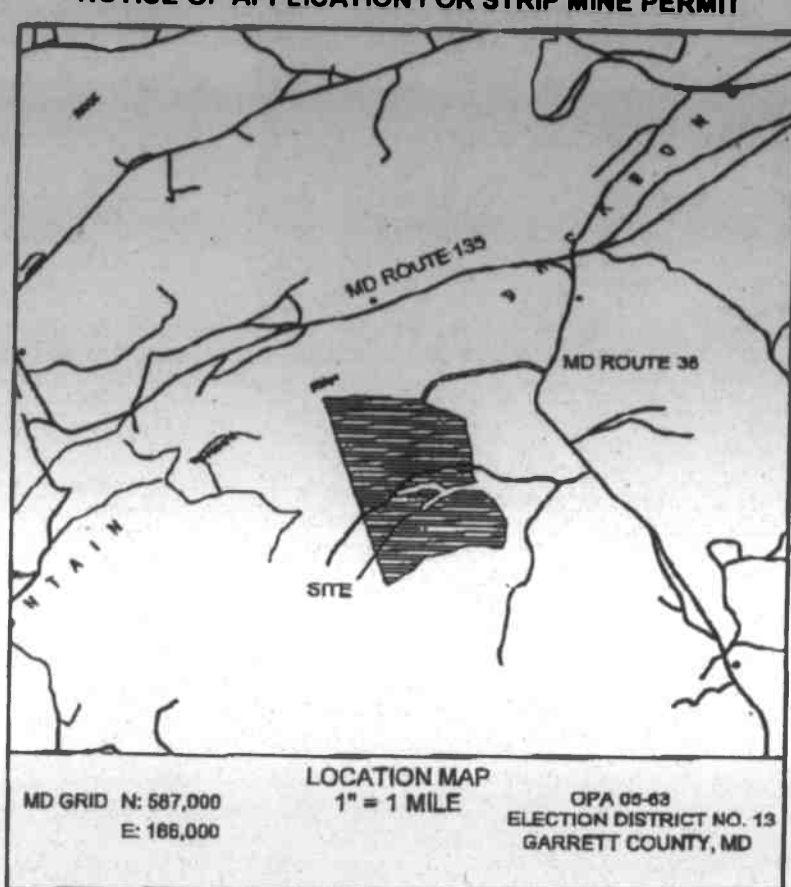
This project is funded by the Maryland Department of the Environment (MDE) Water Quality and Drinking Water Revolving Loan Funds (RLF) Program. Therefore, RLF recipients (i.e. County) and sub-recipients (i.e. prime contractor) shall make a good faith effort to award a fair share of work to qualified small, minority and women owned businesses via affirmative steps. Additional information regarding this program is included in the contract documents. Small, minority and women owned businesses are encouraged to participate in this project.

The Board of County Commissioners of Garrett County, Maryland, reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, to cancel this invitation to bid and to waive technicalities in any part deemed to be in the best interest of Garrett County.

By Order of the Board  
Brian E. Bowers, CPPB  
Purchasing Agent  
Garrett County Purchasing Department

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## NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR STRIP MINE PERMIT



Notice is hereby given that Vindex Energy Corporation, 2708 Cranberry Square, Morgantown, West Virginia 26508 in compliance with Maryland's Federally approved Strip Mine Control and Reclamation Program, has submitted an application for a surface mine operation located near Kitzmiller, Maryland.

The proposed operation occupies a 371 acre tract on the west side of Wolfden Run, off State Route 38 near Kitzmiller, Maryland in Election District 1 Garrett County, Maryland. Access to the site will be from a newly constructed road located approximately one mile south of the intersection of State Route 38 and State Route 135.

Surface of the area to be mined is owned by Douglas Coal Company, P.O. Box 230, Elkins, WV 26241. Mineral of the area to be mined is owned by Douglas Coal Company, P.O. Box 230, Elkins, WV 26241.

The permit area is within the U.S. Geologic Survey Deer Park and Kitzmiller 7.5 minute quadrangle maps. The location is indicated on the vicinity map.

The application includes plans to construct four ponds to control sediment and storm water on the mining area. The ponds will be located within the proposed mine permit area. In addition to a surface coal mining permit, the construction of the ponds will require a separate small pond approval from the Maryland Bureau of Mines (MD BOM).

A copy of the permit application, which includes the pond plans for the small pond approval, is available for public review during regular office hours at the MD BOM office, 160 South Water Street, Frostburg, MD 21532 and the Soil Conservation District Office located at 2008 Maryland Highway, Oakland, Maryland 21550.

Questions concerning this permit application may be directed to Greg Nair, Patriot Mining Co. Inc., 2708 Cranberry Square, Morgantown, WV 26508 or the MD BOM, Coal Permitting Section (301-689-6405).

A public hearing will not be held on this proposed activity unless requested. Written comments, requests for a public hearing, and requests to be included on the interested persons list regarding this application will be received until October 14, 2006 by the Director, MD BOM, 160 South Water Street, Frostburg, MD 21532.

Further notices about this application will be provided only by mail to those persons that submit comments, request a public hearing, or request to be included on the list of interested persons.

File No.: OPA-05-63

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BEFORE THE MAYOR AND TOWN COUNCIL  
OF MOUNTAIN LAKE PARK, MARYLAND  
RESOLUTION NO.: 2006-08

## ANNEXATION NO.: 14 - WESTERN ANNEXATION

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 19(b) of Article 23A of the Annotated Code of Maryland, the Mayor and Town Council of Mountain Lake Park has initiated this Resolution to enlarge the corporate boundaries of the Town by annexation of land adjoining and contiguous to the existing corporate boundaries, and being the area known as the Western Annexation, as depicted in detail on the Plat dated August, 2006, prepared by Richard E. Skipper, PS 351, and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Town Council have caused to be made a verification of the fact that the said annexation has been consented to by not less than twenty-five percent (25%) of the persons who reside in the area to be annexed, and who are registered as voters in County elections, and from the owners of not less than twenty-five (25%) of the assessed valuation of the real property located in the area to be annexed, as evidenced by the signatures of said persons on writings establishing their consent, all in conformance with Article 23A of the Annotated Code of Maryland, Section 19(b), 2001 Replacement Volume.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND TOWN COUNCIL OF MOUNTAIN LAKE PARK, MARYLAND, THAT THE LAND LYING WITHIN THE BOUNDARIES OF THE HEREINAFTER DESCRIBED PARCEL OR PARCELS SHALL BE ANNEXED TO AND BECOME PART OF THE TOWN OF MOUNTAIN LAKE PARK:

ALL THAT AREA KNOWN as the Western Annexation, containing 466.664 acres, situate, lying and being in Election District No. 7 and 16 of Garrett County, Maryland, more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING for the same at a calculated point on the Corporation Limits of the Town of Mountain Lake Park, said point being North 65°21'47" West 0.39 feet from a brass capped rebar found and being South 24°53'43" West 728.06 feet from a brass capped rebar found, thence twenty-eight courses with the said Corporation Limits, and two courses with lands of John L. Fitzwater, Jr. et ux (Liber 352, page 332) South 24°53'43" West 552.91 feet to a rebar found, South 24°47'02" West, passing through a rebar found at 338.47 feet, in all 401.62 feet to a point in Oakland Drive, said point stands North 67°19'02" West 924.91 feet from a 1" pipe found, said pipe being the ninth original corner of the said original limits, thence North 67°19'02" West 427.66 feet to a 1" pipe found said pipe being the tenth original corner to the said original corporation limits, thence North 24°26'15" East 9.09 feet to a maginal with a washer stamped "RICH SKIPPER MD 351" found, hereinafter referred to as a MAGF, said MAGF stands on the southerly limits of Oakland Drive, a thirty foot right of way, thence two courses with said southerly limits North 63°57'23" West 447.84 feet to an IPF, hereinafter referred to as an IPF 200.95 feet along a curve to the left, said curve having a radius of 4501.12 feet and a long chord of North 65°14'07" West 200.93 feet to an IPF, said rebar stands on the eastern limits of Church Lane, a thirty foot right of way, thence with said limits of Church Lane South 24°01'15" West 751.07 feet to an IPF in the northern limits of Maryland Route 135, a one hundred and fifty foot right of way as shown on SHA Plat No. 19011, thence with said northern limits 644.86 feet along a curve to the left, said curve having a radius of 7605.44 feet and a long chord of South 69°31'17" East 644.67 feet to an IPF, thence crossing said Maryland Route 135 South 24°26'15" West 150.92 feet to a IPF, said IPF stands in the southern limits of the said Maryland Route 135 thence with said southern limits 701.29 feet along a curve to the right, said curve having a radius of 7755.44 feet and a long chord of North 69°14'09" West 701.06 feet to an IPF, thence South 23°26'58" West 680.68 feet with the lands of Brownings, Inc. (Liber 240, page 503), to an IPF, thence South 65°09'02" East 887.89 feet with the lands of Craig A. Herschman et al (Liber 709, page 615), to an IPF, thence South 24°26'15" West 2196.84 feet with the said lands of Herschman et al, lands of Wolf Acres Partnership (Liber 769, page 623) and the lands of Parkwood Village Associates Limited Partnership (Liber 590, page 170), to an IPF on the northern limits of the CSX Railroad, having a variable right of way as shown on sheets 11 and 12 of the right of way and track map with Intelligent Map Numbers V08803 and V08804 respectively for the CSX Railroad, thence fifteen courses with said northern limits of said railroad South 69°42'24" East 176.16 feet, South 75°17'40" East 198.37 feet, South 78°20'40" East 495.36 feet, South 83°58'31" East 297.39 feet, South 84°56'34" East 99.23 feet, South 89°45'27" East 99.23 feet, North 89°56'59" East 198.29 feet, North 86°19'58" East 396.61 feet, North 78°29'11" East 99.38 feet, North 79°26'22" East 297.05 feet, North 73°39'18" East 99.12 feet, North 74°25'31" East 296.55 feet, North 73°21'52" East 198.07 feet, North 70°34'50" East 129.88 feet, North 67°55'55" East 115.77 feet to an IPF, thence crossing the entire right of way to the said CSX Railroad and then with the Corporation Limits of the Town of Loch Lynn Heights and lands of Samuel A. VanSickle (Liber 1106, page 33) South 8°29'04" East 182.56 feet to an IPF, thence four courses with said corporation limits of Loch Lynn Heights South 71°29'04" East 245.00 feet with said lands of VanSickle to a fence corner found, South 41°14'04" East 715.68 feet with said lands of VanSickle to an IPF, thence South 44°14'04" East 995.33 feet through or with lands of Beckman Lumber Company, Inc. (Liber 761, page 551) and with other lands of Beckman Lumber Company, Inc. (Liber 1013, page 848), to an IPF, thence South 22°44'04" East 769.19 feet with said lands of Beckman Lumber Company, Inc. (Liber 1013, page 848) and crossing Smouse Road to an IPF north of said road, said IPF stands North 22°44'04" West 235.16 feet from a broken off concrete post found marking the sixth corner of the Corporation Limits of the Town of Loch Lynn Heights, thence South 24°31'43" West 1396.33 feet of said Smouse Road and then with the traveled centerline of Pleasant Valley Road to a point, thence leaving said centerline and then three courses with said lands of Van Sickle (Liber 1106, page 33) North 65°22'55" West passing through a rebar at 19.94 feet, in all 1303.89 feet with the lands of Dale C. Harvey (Liber 425, page 734) to a rebar found, thence North 65°33'11" West 1320.34 feet with the lands of Scott D. Harvey (Liber 754, page 91) to an IPF in a 4" pvc pipe found, thence North 65°14'39" West 566.93 feet with the lands of William Norris Welch et al (Liber 545, page 102) and with part of lands

of Raymond R. Welch et al (Liber 545, page 99), to a rebar found, thence North 65°34'43" West 1572.22 feet with said lands of Raymond R. Welch et al, lands of Raymond R. Welch (Liber 425, page 339), lands of Garrett County Sanitary District, Inc. (Liber 509, page 717 and Liber 308, page 333), and lands of Kevin Lane Blamble (Liber 432, page 398), to an IPF, thence two courses with lands of Kevin L. Blamble (Liber 445, page 814) North 16°28'21" East 222.71 feet with said lands of Garrett County Sanitary District, Inc. (Liber 308, page 333), to a rebar found, thence with lands of Board of Garrett County Commissioners (Liber 917, page 700) North 65°31'52" West 1824.72 feet to a rebar found, thence with the lands of David Cargill Weber et ux (Liber 184, page 46) and lands of The Mayor and Town Council of the Town of Mountain Lake Park (Liber 1048, page 434) North 55°53'17" West passing through an IPF at 488.37 feet, in all 620.49 feet to a point in the traveled centerline of U.S. Route 219, thence five courses with said centerline North 27°59'33" East 1308.33 feet, 229.10 feet along a curve to the left, said curve having a radius of 2738.31 feet and a long chord of North 25°35'50" East 229.03 feet, 1308.06 feet along a curve to the left, said curve having a radius of 1813.13 feet and a long chord of North 2°31'58" East 1279.87 feet, North 18°07'49" West 160.56 feet, 1218.83 feet along a curve to the right, said curve having a radius of 3065.29 feet and a long chord of North 6°44'20" West 1210.82 feet to a point in the second of the Corporation Limits of the Town of Oakland, as adopted by ordinance of 1952, said point being North 27°22'10" East 910.90 feet from a concrete monument found, said monument being the second corner of said corporation limits, thence North 27°22'10" East 191.91 feet with said corporation limits, to a point in the traveled centerline of the aforementioned Maryland Route 135, thence two courses with said centerline 1057.37 feet along a curve to the left, said curve having a radius of 5072.55 feet and a long chord of South 60°12'25" East 1055.46 feet, South 66°10'43" East 672.71 feet to a point at the intersection of the said centerline of Maryland Route 135 and the traveled centerline of Old Route 219 now Weber Road, thence two courses with said centerline of Weber Road North 21°30'18" East 330.43 feet, 22.06 feet along a curve to the left, said curve having a radius of 248.44 feet and a long chord of North 18°57'39" East 22.06 feet, thence South 67°39'32" East, passing a rebar found at 23.03 feet, in all 221.45 feet leaving said centerline and then with lands of Richard Ream Mussard et al (Liber 766, page 809) and lands of Brownings, Inc. (Liber 220, page 159), to an IPF, thence North 22°20'28" East, passing through a MAGF at 415.92 feet, in all 431.50 feet, with said lands of Brownings, Inc., and said lands of Richard Ream Mussard to a point in the traveled centerline of the aforementioned Oakland Drive, thence three courses with said centerline 53.51 feet along a curve to the right, said curve having a radius of 270.31 feet and a long chord of South 77°07'47" East 53.42 feet to a point, 134.74 feet along a curve to the right, said curve having a radius of 1477.62 feet and a long chord of South 68°50'47" East 134.69 feet to a point, South 66°14'03" East 250.62 feet to a point, thence three courses with lands of Dona Alvarez et al (Liber 784, page 593) and four courses with lands of Garrett County Board of Education (Liber 724, page 482) North 24°37'34" East, passing through a brass capped rebar found at 15.01 feet, in all 646.36 feet to a 32" White Oak (Quercus alba), South 65°43'59" East 164.24 feet to a rebar found, North 24°40'01" East 287.18 feet to a rebar found, thence South 65°21'47" East 985.83 feet with said lands of Alvarez and lands of Volker W. Noback et ux (Liber 1045, page 683), and lands of Betty D. Mattingly Trust (Liber 682, page 767) and the aforementioned lands of John L. Fitzwater, Jr. et ux (Liber 352, page 332) to the beginning, containing 466.664 acres, more or less.

As shown on a plat recorded among the Land Records of Garrett County, Maryland in Plat Case DKM 3, file 271.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that from and after the effective date of this Resolution, all persons residing in the area to be annexed shall be and become citizens of the Town of Mountain Lake Park, and subject to the provisions of the Charter and Ordinances of said Town, and any amendments thereto.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all real property so annexed and the personal property thereon shall be subject to the municipal property taxes to be levied by said Town, and that all of said property, real and personal, will be taxed as all other property within the Town of Mountain Lake Park, at the tax rate legally set by the Mayor and Town Council thereof, except that:

1. If the annexation is successful the phase in of Real Estate Property Tax will be as follows:

Fiscal Year Phase - in Percentage of Municipal Tax Rate

2006 - 2007	No Tax
2007 - 2008	33%
2008 - 2009	66%
2009 - 2010	100%

2. Citizens in the annexed area will receive intown sewer and garbage rates at the next quarterly billing after the annexation is finalized.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor and Town Council shall extend such services to the residents to be annexed hereby, as are extended to other residents of the Town of Mountain Lake Park, where available. The extension of Town services is more fully detailed in the "Outline for Extension of Services" available at the Town Hall.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Notice of this Resolution shall be published in a newspaper with general circulation within the Town of Mountain Lake Park and Garrett County, giving notice that the public hearing on this Resolution shall be held at the Town Hall located at 1007 Allegheny Drive, Mountain Lake Park, Maryland 21550, at 8:00 p.m. on the 27th day of October, 2006, which date is not less than fifteen (15) days after the fourth (4th) publication of said Notice as provided for herein.

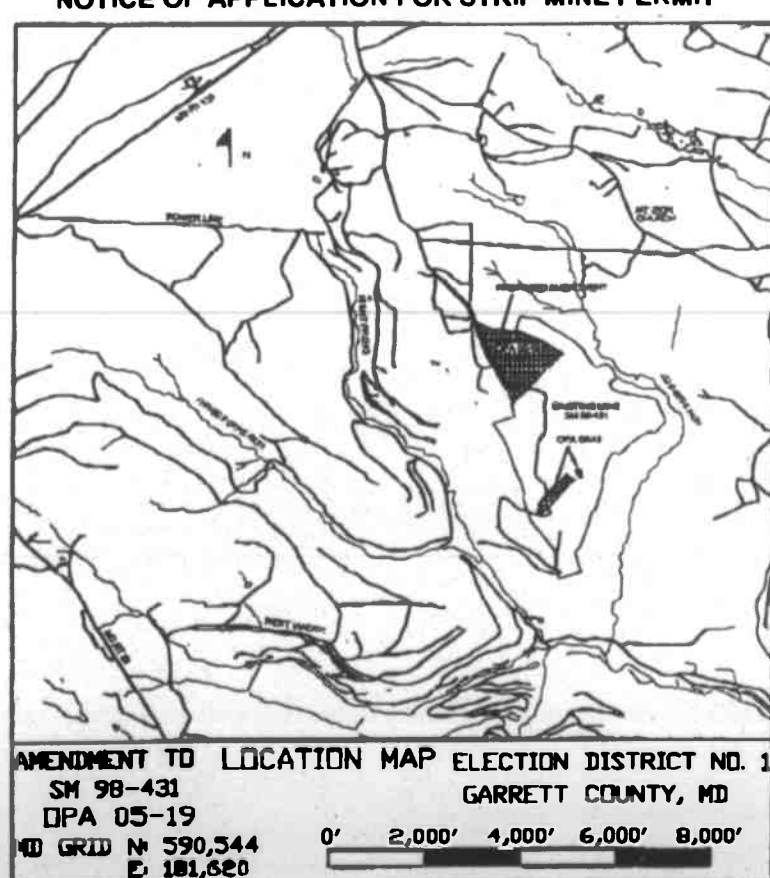
AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Resolution shall be effective on the forty-sixth (46th) day following its final enactment.

INTRODUCED this 7th day of September 2006.

PASSED this \_\_ day of \_\_ 2006.

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## NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR STRIP MINE PERMIT



Notice is hereby given that Patriot Mining Company Inc., 2708 Cranberry Square, Morgantown, West Virginia 26508 in compliance with Maryland's Federally approved Strip Mine Control and Reclamation Program, has submitted an application to amend an existing surface mine operation located near Swanton, Maryland.

The proposed operation occupies a 38.0 acre tract on the east side of Jennings Run, two miles south of MD Route 135 in Election District 1 Garrett County, Maryland. Access to the site will be from Sharpless Mine Road, one-half mile south of the intersection of MD Route 135 and Mt. Zion Road.

Surface of the area to be mined is owned by Douglas Coal Company, P.O. Box 230, Elkins, WV 26241 and Frank Farrell, et al, 5122 Montgomery Road, Ellicott City, MD 21043. Mineral of the area to be mined is owned by Douglas Coal Company, P.O. Box 230, Elkins, WV 26241.

The permit area is within the U.S. Geologic Survey Kitzmiller 7.5 minute quadrangle maps. The location is indicated on the vicinity map.

The application includes plans to add 38 acres to an existing surface mine permit. Sediment and storm water will be controlled by approved existing structures within the surface mine permit area.

A copy of the mining permit application is available for public review during regular office hours at the MD BOM office, 160 South Water Street, Frostburg, MD 21532.

Questions concerning this permit application may be directed to Greg Nair, Vindex Energy Corporation, 2708 Cranberry Square, Morgantown, WV 26508 or the MD BOM, Coal Permitting Section (301-689-6405).

A public hearing will not be held on this proposed activity unless requested. Written comments, requests for a public hearing, and requests to be included on the interested persons list regarding this application will be received until October 14, 2006, by the Director, MD BOM, 160 South Water Street, Frostburg, MD 21532.

Further notices about this application will be provided only by mail to those persons that submit comments, request a public hearing, or request to be included on the list of interested persons.

File No.: OPA-05-19

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**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR GARRETT COUNTY, MARYLAND**  
No.: C 06 9600 CIVIL  
Craig Ingram, Assignee for the Purpose of Foreclosure,  
322 East Alder Street  
Oakland, Maryland 21550  
Plaintiff

VS.  
Andrew B. Young  
4600 Truman Lane  
Virginia Beach, VA 23455  
and  
Janine M. Young Czarniecki  
43011 Golf View Drive  
Chantilly, VA 20152  
and  
Edward T. Tennant  
2305 Spruce Grove Ct.  
Raleigh, NC 27614  
Defendants

**NOTICE**  
It is Ordered this 1st day of September 2006, by the Circuit Court for Garrett County, Maryland, in Equity, that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings as made and reported by Craig Ingram, Assignee, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 2nd day of October 2006, provided that a copy of this Order be inserted in some newspaper published in Garrett County, Maryland, once in each of three successive weeks before the 22nd day of September 2006.  
The report stated the amount of sale to be \$22,500.  
David K. Martin, Clerk

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**INVITATION TO BID PRE-ENGINEERED MAINTENANCE BUILDING WITH CONNECTION CORRIDOR**  
Garrett College will accept sealed bids for the design, fabrication, permitting and construction of a 125 foot by 50 foot pre-engineered steel maintenance building with connection corridor to be located at the College's McHenry Campus. Bid documents and specifications may be obtained from the offices of Ashby Engineering, LLC, 119 S. Third Street, Suite 4, Oakland, MD 21550. Inquiries may be made by calling 301-334-4199.

Sealed bids must be submitted to the Office of the Dean of Administration, Garrett College, 687 Mosser Road, McHenry, MD 21541, on or before Friday September 29, 2006, at 2:00 p.m. All bidders are required to submit three (3) copies of their bid documents at the time of submission. All bids submitted should be clearly marked "Pre-Engineered Maintenance Building" on the outside of the envelope. Any bids received after the time due will not be considered for award and shall be retained as documents for the bid file. Garrett College reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, to cancel this invitation to bid and to waive technicalities in any part deemed to be in the best interest of Garrett College.

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**NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF APPOINTMENT OF FOREIGN PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE**  
Estate No. 10550

**NOTICE IS GIVEN** that the Probate Court of Mineral County, West Virginia, appointed Doris A. Schwinabart, 370 Sunset Place, Keyser, WV 26726, as the Executor of the Estate of Richard B. Schwinabart, who died on May 14, 2006, domiciled in West Virginia, U.S.A.

The Maryland resident agent for service of process is Timothy B. Schwinabart whose address is 664 Pine Tree Point Road, Swanton, MD 21561.

All persons having claims against the decedent must file their claims with the Register of Wills for Garrett County with a copy to the foreign personal representative on or before the earlier of the following dates:

(1) Six months from the date of the decedent's death, except if the decedent died before October 1, 1992, nine months from the date of the decedent's death; or  
(2) Two months after the foreign personal representative mails or delivers to the creditor a copy of this published notice or other written notice, notifying the creditor that the claim will be barred unless the creditor presents the claim within two months from the mailing or other delivery of the notice. Claims filed after that date or after a date extended by law will be barred.

Name of newspaper designated by personal representative: *The Republican*.  
Date of publication: September 14, 2006.

Doris A. Schwinabart  
Representative  
Joseph DiSimone  
Register of Wills  
Room 103 Courthouse  
313 E. Alder Street  
Oakland, MD 21550

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**NOTICE OF ABANDONED VESSEL**  
Notice is hereby given that the following vessel has apparently been abandoned for over 180 days on the property of Deep Creek Marina, 1077 Deep Creek Drive, McHenry, MD 21541, and phone number 301-387-6977.

The vessel is described as: 14' Gamefisher boat, Maryland registration MD 7169 AJ. The hull number is MFG83095M80F and the vessel is white with a blue and red stripe. The boat has a 9.9 hp outboard engine on the boat. The registered owner is Timothy Hines. Application for title will be made in accordance with Section 8-722 of the Annotated Code of Maryland, Natural Resources Article if the vessel is not claimed and removed from the above property within 30 days of this notice.

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**NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

The Town of Loch Lynn Heights is now accepting bids for the following vehicle: 1997 Mercury Grand Marquis, V8, 4.6 liter, automatic, leather interior, dual power seats, ac, ps, pw, cruise AM/FM cassette, dual air bags. The vehicle is being sold in "as is" condition and may be seen at the Loch Lynn Heights Town Hall on Mon., Tues., or Thurs., from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Bids must be received at the Town Hall, 211 Bonnie Boulevard, Loch Lynn Heights, MD 21550, no later than October 3, 2006 at 4:00 p.m. All bids will be read aloud at 7:30 p.m. at the October 3, 2006 meeting of the Mayor and Town Council. Bids must be presented in a sealed envelope and marked "Car Bid." The Mayor and Town Council reserve the right to reject any and all bids. Proceeds from this sale will be utilized for beautification projects.

By authority of  
Mayor and Town Council  
Loch Lynn Heights

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**NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF APPOINTMENT OF FOREIGN PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE**  
Estate No. 10536

**NOTICE IS GIVEN** that the Probate Court of Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, appointed Thomas F. Toscani, 1205 Westlakes Drive, Suite 195, Berwyn, PA 19312, as the Administrator of the Estate of John S. Parker, who died on February 23, 2005, domiciled in Pennsylvania, U.S.A.

The Maryland resident agent for service of process is Thomas E. Bernard whose address is 667 S. Third Street, Oakland, MD 21550.

All persons having claims against the decedent must file their claims with the Register of Wills for Garrett County with a copy to the foreign personal representative on or before the earlier of the following dates:

(1) Six months from the date of the decedent's death, except if the decedent died before October 1, 1992, nine months from the date of the decedent's death; or  
(2) Two months after the foreign personal representative mails or delivers to the creditor a copy of this published notice or other written notice, notifying the creditor that the claim will be barred unless the creditor presents the claim within two months from the mailing or other delivery of the notice. Claims filed after that date or after a date extended by law will be barred.

Name of newspaper designated by personal representative: *The Republican*.  
Date of publication: September 7, 2006.

Thomas F. Toscani  
Foreign Personal Representative  
Joseph DiSimone  
Register of Wills  
Room 103 Courthouse  
313 E. Alder Street  
Oakland, MD 21550

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**BUONASSISSI, HENNING & LASH, P.C.**  
1861 WIEHLE AVENUE,  
SUITE 300  
RESTON, VIRGINIA 20190  
703-796-1341  
**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR GARRETT COUNTY, MARYLAND**  
Case No. 11-C-05-08769-FC

**JOSEPH V. BUONASSISSI II**  
Substitute Trustee, et al,  
Plaintiffs,  
v.  
**KENNETH B. WILT**  
Defendant  
**NOTICE**  
Notice is hereby issued this 5th day of September 2006, that the sale of the

property in this case, 99 Wilt Road, Grantsville, Maryland 21536, made and reported by Joseph V. Buonassissi II, Substitute Trustee, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 5th day of October 2006, provided a copy of this Notice be inserted in *The Republican*, a newspaper

published in Garrett County, Maryland, once in each of three (3) successive weeks on or before the 29th day of September 2006.  
The report states the amount of sale to be \$110,153.00.  
David K. Martin, Clerk  
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## PUBLIC AUCTION

Saturday, Sept. 16, 10 a.m.

At Nicholas Sales on White Church Rd.

off Route 560. Just follow signs.

Clothing (like new), table w/2 chairs, cabinet, knick knacks, canned goods, toys, tools, lot of wood crafts ready for stain, shelving, children's books, work boots, shoes, some antiques, draw knife, old spittoon.

Now taking consignments and estate sales at your place or at Auction House.

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**David H. Ringer Sr., Auctioneer**  
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## ESTATE AUCTION

OF THE LATE

WOODROW "WOODY" HUMBERSON

REAL ESTATE &amp; PERSONAL PROPERTY

BELONGING TO BETTY LOU HUMBERSON

Saturday, Sept. 23, 10 a.m.

Directions: I-68 to exit 4, follow Todd Rexroad Auction signs to Addison-Friendsville Rd. Approx. 3 miles to 118 Old Morgantown Rd. E. 4th house on right.

**REAL ESTATE:** Country living but close to I-68.

Deep Creek Lake, Yough Lake, Mill Run camping & many other recreational areas. Located 3 miles from Friendsville, Md., on the Old Morgantown Rd. This home is a 2-story, vinyl siding, w/full basement, hot water fuel heat w/wood burner, well water w/Rain Soft system, septic, and is situated on approx. 1 acre of land. 3 BR (2 down & 1 up) w/big closets, downstairs bath, sun porch off LR, built-in kitchen/dining combo, family room leading to a lg. treated deck, nice back yard w/beautiful stream running through. Single car garage. Road frontage. Real Estate will be sold at noon and will be sold subject to owner's confirmation.

Terms of Real Estate: 10% down day of the auction, balance due at closing.

**ANTIQUES & COLLECTIBLES:** Marble-top walnut vanity w/mirror, Hamilton Jones 4-gallon cork (lots of blue markings), Strucko shovel, 1946 Ross Bros. Clover Farm store calendar, marble-top Victorian-style stands, Coal Miner's Daughter book w/autographed poster, oak high headboard bed (over 100 yrs. old), 1924 marriage certificate, oak china cabinet (3 glass doors), post cards, oak rockers, wire-framed eyeglasses, oak dresser w/mirror, hankies, oak fern stand, sunbonnets, vintage hats & hats pins, mahogany parlor settee, embroidered linens, hickory rocker, wood egg crate, cherry secretary, split woven basket, cherry marble-top vanity w/mirror, Roosevelt bubble frame picture, Victor talking machine, wood ironing boards, Hoosier-style cupboard, George & Martha table lamp, blind door jelly cupboard, dome top trunk, wood high chairs, wood buckers, split-bottom rocker, advertising boxes & tins, Lane cedar chest, coffee grinder, wood frame mirror, sadirons & trivets, child's mission-style rocker, apple butter stirrer, child's hall tree, Dairy Dale milk bottle, parlor table, nail kegs, wood benches, pitcher pump, Slovaki tea pot & others, tea kettle (porc. over cast), Marquest cookie jar, Bo Peep wall pocket, granite ware, pitcher & bowl set, cream can, flower pots (some McCoy), wood match holder, oil lamps & barn & RR lanterns, enamelware, sewing stand w/boxes of wood spools, corn cutters, sickles, stone hammers, wood block plane. **Cast Iron Pieces:** Bacon press, muffin pans, Mammy bank, dutch ovens, skillets, waffle iron. **Glassware:** Fenton, Imperial, Depression, lead crystal, pressed glass, Westmoreland, Hazel Atlas, cranberry, cobalt, Carnival, snuff glasses. **Stoneware:** Salt crock, 3 gal. Crown, USA, many more jugs & jars. Many hidden items still in attic & basement that are unknown at this printing.

**HOUSEHOLD ITEMS & TOOLS:** Bedroom suite (chiffonier, dresser, bed), Harman wood stove, maple chest of drawers, Gilson 42" riding mower, 9-drawer leather-top desk, work bench w/vise, table w/4 chairs, lawn spreader, MW microwave, Radio Flyer wagon, small appliances, metal lawn chair, cookware & bakeware, metal & plastic toys.

Terms of Sale: Cash, check w/valid ID.

Refreshments available.

Many more items too numerous to mention!

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P.O. Box 355, Bruceton Mills, WV 26525  
(304) 288-7079

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[toddrexroadauctions@frontiernet.net](mailto:toddrexroadauctions@frontiernet.net)

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## QUARRICK EQUIPMENT &amp; AUCTIONS

Rt. 119 Gallatin Ave. Exit west on Bute Rd.


2 1/2 miles on right.

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Auction service available.

Consignment auctions of farm tractors, equipment, light industrial, lawn & garden, tools & more the first Thursday of every month. Consignments welcome! Doing business for 18 years. Visit our web site for lists & pictures @ [www.quarrickauction.com](http://www.quarrickauction.com).

**Tony Quarrick & Sons**  
166 Quarrick Rd.  
Unlontown, PA  
724-439-1621



## PUBLIC AUCTION

Saturday, Sept. 16, 10 a.m.

Moatsville, W.Va.

AUTOS - TRACTORS - ANTIQUES -

COINS - MISC

Directions: From Rt. 50 W turn left onto Marquess Road (toward Stevensburg Unity Church), go approx. 2 miles turn left at Stevensburg Church, approx. 3 miles turn right (up hill), approx. 2.6 miles make right at large black mailbox. Auction straight ahead. **WATCH FOR SIGNS!!**

**Real Estate:** 48 to 55 acres and 1 acre with garage (garage size 30-70). Property Gallery LLC, Kingwood, WV, Eleanor Harvey, Broker.

'88 GMC 20 ft. box truck, '94 Bonneville, '74 GMC rollback, '73 Chevy rollback, '92 F150 4x4 crew cab, 2001 Ford 4x4 53,000 original miles, 1950 FarmAll M tractor w/canopy, 1948 FarmAll H tractor w/dump bucket, antique Mull saw, Schramm air compressor, 125,000 BTU gas/propane forced air furnace, duct work, pipe, filter, elec. recliner lift chair, handmade china cabinet, gun cabinet, brake lathe, digital speed balancer, foot pedal truck tire changer w/safety cage, antique spittoon, blacksmith items, Bowie knife, knives, Confederate money, silver coins, old coins, salt & pepper shakers, air conditioners, Husky 54" cut 25 hp twin engine gas pedal cruise control riding tractor w/attachments, horse-drawn leveler, antique sausage stuffer 1 hp on bench, china, lg. kettle w/stand, a lot of items not listed. Something for everyone.

Terms: Cash, checks w/proper ID.

**Donald Ringer**  
Auctioneer  
WV 1634

**HI-LINE AUCTION SALES**  
304-735-3426

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## MOVING AUCTION

Saturday, Sept. 23, 10 a.m.

Hoyes Rd., McHenry, Md.

Directions: Take I-68 to Friendsville Exit, take 42 South, turn left onto Hoyes Rd. (2 miles from Deep Creek Lake) Watch for the "Joe R Pyle" Auction signs.

**Furniture:** Ethan Allen table w/6 chairs, Mahogany secretary, Victorian, walnut carved maple-top dresser w/mirror, assortment '50s chrome leg table & chairs, oak buffet, oak school teacher desk, ladies mahogany desks, executive walnut desk, kidney-shaped dressing table, Haywood Wakefield wicker rocking chair.

**Antiques & Collectibles:** Jukebox plays 78s, Edison cylinder phonograph w/cylinders, Keystone pictograph - glass slides, 1938 Gulf Oil calendar, patchwork tops and quilts, Ingraham 8-day clock, Telechron ship's bell clock, other quality clocks, large copper kettle & other copperware pcs., fountain pen collection, iron cook stove - working condition, vintage jewelry (rhinestone, early costume), vintage purses, hats, dresses, and table cloths, mini & regular sadirons, dome & flat-top trunks.

**Toys & Children's Items:** Assorted doll collection & furniture, vintage Hawthorn bike (Montgomery Ward), doll dishes (plastic, tin & china - '40s & '50s), mechanic tin horse mobo-England, toy iron cook stoves, assortment Tootsie Toys, Lionel lines, scout cars, caboose # 1682 & others; vintage doll carriage.

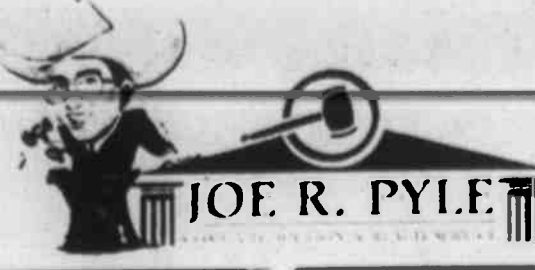
**Stoneware & Glassware:** Misc. California pottery, assortment crocks & jugs, assortment blue Lustre pieces, Carnival: blue dragon & lotus bowl, bowls, rose bowl, decanter, demitasse, Fenton, Tomato cookie jar '50s, American Fostoria, Romance Fostoria mayonnaise set, pickle dish, sugar bowl, pink & green Depression; L. Bernhardt & Co. Limoges, France, chinaware; Sunburst Victorian china.

**Household & Shop Items:** Framed Wallace Nutting print 1918, other quality prints & frames, vintage floor lamps, copper fire extinguishers; Fireman's back pack-Indian, water canister w/ hose. **Car parts:** Old lights, wrenches, horn, Model T Ford jack & more, assortment old tools.

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## ESTATE AUCTION

Saturday, Sept. 16, 10 a.m.

Tom Henline's Auction House

4 miles west of Oakland, MD

off State Rt. 39, Crellin, MD

3 pc. clawfoot highback, parlor suite, 10 pc. refectory dining room suite, camelback Chippendale sofa, wingback chair, 4 pc. mahogany bedroom suite, Mills 5 cent slot machine, Empire loveseat, cherry vanity w/stool, Ridgeway grandfather clock, iron single bed, bed w/brass knobs, chevel mirror, cherry tea tables, lamps, shield mirror, large amounts of smalls, collectibles and antique items, hand tools, cedar chest, GE refrigerator, Maytag automatic washer and dryer, oak queen canopy bed, oak breakfront, small curved-glass china cabinet, rugs.

Terms: Cash or check w/approved ID.

**Tom Henline**  
Henline Auction Sales  
301-334-4888

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## Very Large EQUIPMENT AUCTION

Saturday, Sept. 30, 9 a.m.

Located 7 miles south of Somerset along Rt. 281

in Somerset County, Pa.

LARGE LINE-UP OF EQUIPMENT

2 COMPLETE LINES OF MACHINERY

CONSIGNED ALONG WITH LOTS OF OTHER

EQUIPMENT

**Farm Estate #1 includes:** 7 tractors, 3 pickup trucks, hay, tillage, planting & livestock equipment.

**Farm Estate #2 includes:** 3 tractors along with complete line of machinery.

**100 tractors, skid loaders and combines.**  
Hundreds of pieces of farm equipment.

**Auctioneer's Note:** Lots of clean sharp tractors and good equipment. Call now to consign. New machinery coming in daily. Watch next week's paper for complete listing. Sorry, no titled vehicles unless off complete dispersals.

**LUCE AUCTIONEERS Au0019741**  
Toll free - 877-387-3172

**Jake - (814) 233-6991; Gabe - (814) 233-7414;**  
**Adam - (814) 233-4443; Dave - (814) 233-9820.**

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## PUBLIC AUCTION

Saturday, Sept. 23, 10 a.m.

257 Morgan Street, Kingwood, W.Va.

Directions: From Rt. 7, turn left at Hardee's onto Rt. 26, turn right onto Morgan Street. Watch for signs.

Antique sideboard, 4 pc. wicker set, coins, old dolls, old hoe, dresser w/mirror, TV stand, fish tank & stand, tools, old Eagles jar, hen on nest, stained glass lamp, stagecoach, inkwells, McCormick bottles, fish tanks, aquarium gravel, dog bones, hunting suit, Matchbox cars, signed football, comic books, old signs, Elvis coin, table & chairs, Mickey Mantle card, football, baseball, racing, and hockey cards; old corn planter, McCoy items, 2 California king snakes, pictures. Lots of items not listed.

Terms: Cash, checks w/proper ID.

Not responsible for accidents! Refreshments available.

**HI-LINE AUCTION SALES**  
**Donald Ringer, Auctioneer - WV 1634**  
Call us at 304-735-3426  
for all of your auction needs.

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## PUBLIC AUCTION

Saturday, Sept. 16, at 2 p.m.

5 trailer loads of New Furniture and

New Household Items.

NOTE: Starts at 2 p.m.

2 auctioneers outside/inside. Located at Ball Auction Building in Terra Alta, W.Va.

Photos online at [www.ballauctioninc.com](http://www.ballauctioninc.com)

**2 48 ft. Trailer Loads of New Furniture:** 2 pc.

living room suites, sofas, leather sofa, chairs, foot-

stools, coffee table, end tables, 3 pc. bedroom suite,

dresser, chest, nightstands, beds, table w/6 chairs,

table w/4 chairs, ent. center, china cupboard, dining

room table, bar table w/6 stools, bar stools, lamps,

mirrors, prints, bunk beds, and much more.

**Estate Furniture:** 5 pc. cherry bedroom suite

(poster bed), 2 nightstands, highboy chest, dresser, 2

very fancy deco 5 pc. bedroom suites (bed, vanity,

dresser, wardrobe), oak curved-glass china cup-

board, flat wall cupboard, table w/6 chairs, 2 pc.

china cupboard, ent. center, washer, dryer, refrigera-

tor, dresser, chest, table w/4 chairs, recliner, sofas,

beds, wardrobe, 4 pc. cherry dining room suite,

cherry china closet, 8 pc. maple dining room suite,

and more.

**New Household Items and Gifts:** Boat sand box,

kids' patio furniture, solar lights, 217 rotary tool kit,

cups, plates, snacks, garbage bags, toilet tissue,

photo albums, Zip Loc, folding chairs, 7 pc. tool set,

bath lights, utility lamp, paper, puppets, shampoo,

Honda push mower, outdoor shower, electric fire-

place, KitchenAid, basket set, dinnerware, throws,

blankets, pillows, walk-behind mower, self-propelled

mower, and more not listed.

**New Electronics:** iPods, Toshiba 26" HDTV,

Panasonic digital hard disc camcorder, iPod Nano,

Sony DVD player, Sony digital camcorder, Panasonic

HD plasma TV, Samsung 23" HDTV, Samsung LCD

TV, Apple movie iPods, Panasonic plasma TV, Pana-



## PUBLIC NOTICES

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF APPOINTMENT OF FOREIGN PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE

Estate No. 10551  
NOTICE IS GIVEN that the Probate Court of Garrett County, Maryland, appointed Larry Ward Boigegrain, 841 Wilmot St., Akron, Ohio 44306, as the Personal Representative of the Estate of Ada Mae Boigegrain, who died on February 5, 2006, domiciled in Ohio, U.S.A.

The Maryland resident agent for service of process is Sara Jane Kuhn whose address is 409 Fairway Drive, Oakland, MD 21550.

At the time of death, the decedent owned real or leasehold property in the following Maryland counties: Garrett.

All persons having claims against the decedent must file their claims with the Register of Wills for Garrett County with a copy to the foreign personal representative on or before the earlier of the following dates:

(1) Six months from the date of the decedent's death except if the decedent died before October 1, 1992, nine months from the date of the decedent's death; or

(2) Two months after the foreign personal representative mails or delivers to the creditor a copy of this published notice or other written notice, notifying the creditor that the claim will be barred unless the creditor presents the claim within two months from the mailing or other delivery of the notice. Claims filed after that date or after a date extended by law will be barred.

Name of newspaper designated by personal representative: *The Republican*.

Date of publication: September 14, 2006.

Larry W. Boigegrain  
Foreign Personal Representative  
Joseph DiSimone  
Register of Wills  
Room 103 Courthouse  
313 E. Alder Street  
Oakland, MD 21550

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## PUBLIC NOTICES

## NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

Getty Law Offices  
23 Washington Street  
Cumberland, Maryland 21502

## NOTICE OF INTENTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

OF GARRETT COUNTY, MARYLAND, FOR THE CLOSING OF A PORTION OF OLD STATE PARK ROAD LOCATED IN ELECTION DISTRICT NO. 18, GARRETT COUNTY, MARYLAND.

Pursuant to the provisions of Article 25, § 135, et seq., of the Annotated Code of Maryland, notice is hereby given that the Board of County Commissioners of Garrett County, Maryland, will petition, on its own behalf, on the 10th day of October 2006, at 10:00 a.m., to close a portion of old State Park Road, more particularly described as that portion of old State Park Road lying adjacent to the property of Ruth E. Bortz and Nelson M. Bortz Jr., and the property of James W. Carroll Jr. The area which the county seeks to close comprises a portion of State Park Road which has been abandoned by the county upon relocation of State Park Road at that location. A further description of the said road and its location may be had by reference to a drawing, which can be seen and examined by any interested party during the regular business hours at the Office of the Board of County Commissioners of Garrett County, Maryland.

The purpose of the Petitioner's Petition is to have the portion of old State Park Road closed as a public road in Garrett County, Maryland, by the Board of County Commissioners of Garrett County.

Gorman E. Getty III  
County Attorney  
23 Washington Street  
Cumberland, Maryland 21502

301-777-8032

9/21-21 (3)

## PUBLIC NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE that the Mayor and Town Council of Friendsville will hold a public hearing on Ordinance No. 2006-1, which will be introduced before the Town Council on September 5, 2006, which Ordinance authorizes the Mayor and Town Council of Friendsville to sell by private sale, and to deliver a usual warranty deed, certain land within the Town of Friendsville and which the Town has determined is no longer needed for any public purpose, said property being located at 946 Second Avenue, Friendsville, Maryland, for consideration in the amount of \$125,000.00.

A fair summary of the Ordinance is as follows:

The Ordinance declares the said property located at 946 Second Avenue, Friendsville, Maryland, to be no longer needed for any public purpose and authorizes the Mayor and Town Council to sell said property by private sale, to a buyer, located by Coldwell Banker Realty, for the price of \$125,000.00, which is in excess of appraised value of said property as established by Deeds Creek Appraisal Associates, Inc., and to grant to the buyer, Chad Fike, a special warranty deed conveying said property to him in fee simple, and further providing for the payment of costs of closing. The sale is in conformance with the provisions of Article 23A, Section 2 (24) of the Annotated Code of Maryland and provides that this Notice shall be advertised in three successive issues of *The Republican* newspaper, and that the first reading thereon shall be on the 5th day of September, 2006, and that the second reading thereon shall be on the 19th day of September, 2006, and the official public hearing and vote on adoption shall be on the 2nd day of October, 2006, to be held at the Friendsville Town Hall at 313 Chestnut Street, Friendsville, Maryland 21531.

The full text of Ordinance 2006-1 is available at the Friendsville Town Hall located at 313 Chestnut Street, Friendsville, Maryland, Monday through Friday, during normal business hours.

This Notice is in accordance with the policy adopted by the Mayor and Town Council of Friendsville for the adoption of ordinances and gives notice of the date and time of the scheduled public hearing of said Ordinance.

By Authority of the Mayor and Town Council of Friendsville, Maryland

By its Town Attorney, Robert E. Watson

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Wittstadt & Wittstadt, P.A., Attorneys  
40 S. Dundalk Ave., Baltimore, MD 21222  
410-282-2112

## SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEES' SALE OF IMPROVED REAL PROPERTY

35 Zehner Rd., Grantsville, MD 21536

Under a power of sale contained in a certain Deed of Trust from Debra M. Boler-Butler a/k/a Deborah Butler Boler a/k/a Deborah Minnick, dated March 18, 2003, and recorded in Liber 962, folio 772 among the Land Records of Garrett Co., MD, default having occurred under the terms thereof, the Sub. Trustees will sell at public auction at the Circuit Court for Garrett Co., at the Court House Door, Oakland, on

September 22, 2006 at 1:00 p.m.

ALL THAT fee-simple LOT OF GROUND AND THE IMPROVEMENTS THEREON situated in Garrett Co., MD, and more fully described in the aforesaid Deed of Trust. The property is improved by a dwelling.

The property will be sold in an "as is" condition and subject to conditions, restrictions and agreements of record affecting the same, if any, and with no warranty of any kind.

Terms of Sale: A deposit of \$7,000 by cash, or certified check. Balance of the purchase price to be paid in cash within ten days of final ratification of sale by the Circuit Court for Garrett Co. If Purchaser fails to settle within ten days of ratification, he agrees to pay attorneys' fees in the amount of \$750.00, plus costs, if the Trustees have moved to resell the property. Interest to be paid on the unpaid purchase money at the rate of 10.6250% per annum from the date of sale to the date funds are received in the office of the Sub. Trustees. If the purchaser fails to go to settlement, the deposit shall be forfeited and the property may be resold at the purchaser's risk and expense. In the event settlement is delayed for any reason, there shall be no abatement of interest. Taxes, ground rent, water rent, condominium fees and/or homeowner association dues, all public charges/assessments payable on an annual basis, including sanitary and/or metropolitan district charges, if applicable, to be adjusted for the current year to date of sale and assumed thereafter by the purchaser. Cost of all documentary stamps, transfer taxes and settlement expenses shall be borne by the purchaser. Purchaser shall be responsible for obtaining physical possession of the property. Purchaser assumes the risk of loss or damage to the property from the date of sale forward. If the Sub. Trustees are unable to convey good and marketable title, the purchaser's sole remedy in law and equity shall be limited to a refund of the deposit. Purchaser agrees to pay \$250.00 at settlement, to the Seller's attorney, for review of the settlement documents.

Mark H. Wittstadt, Gerard Wm. Wittstadt Jr.  
Sub. Trustees

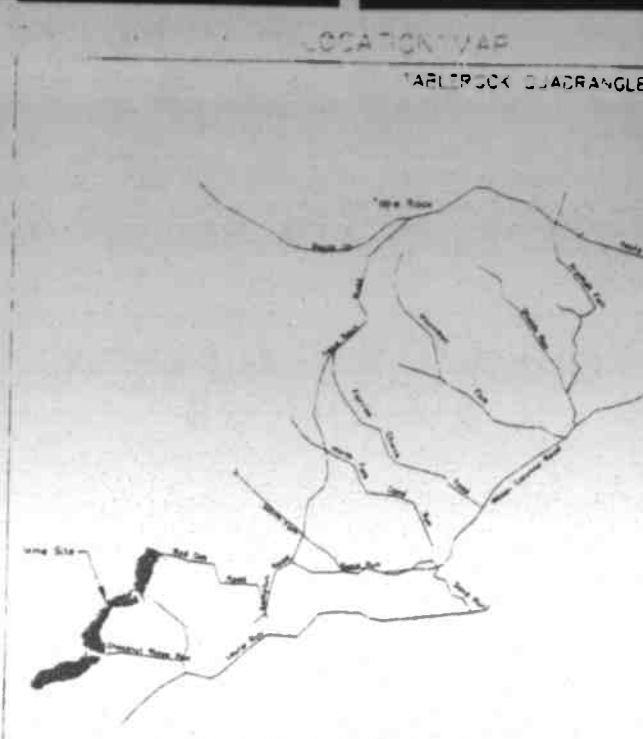
ALEX COOPER AUCTIONS, INC.  
908 YORK RD., TOWSON, MD 21204  
410-828-4838

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## NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR STRIP MINE PERMIT RENEWAL THIS IS THE LAST ADVERTISEMENT

Notice is hereby given that Mettiki Coal, 293 Table Rock Road, Oakland, MD, in compliance with Maryland's Federally approved Surface Coal Mine Regulatory Program, has submitted an application for renewal of surface coal mine Permit No. SM 97-428. This application is for renewal of an existing permit only. The application does not add any area to the existing permit. The operation is located near Table Rock, Maryland, on the North side of Laurel Run, in Election District No. 8, Garrett County, MD, Grid Coordinates S. 21,742,5713, E. 101,080,0680. Access to the site is from Red Oak Road, 3 miles southwest of intersection of Table Rock Road and Route 50.

Surface of the permit area is owned by Glenn Shockley, 203 Yoakum Parkway #1618, Alexandria, VA 22304; Freda Ujic, Route 2, Box 580, Ridgeley, WV 26753; James W. Ujic, Route 2, Box 580, Ridgeley, WV 26753; Buffalo Coal Corporation, P.O. Box 282, Bayard, WV 26733; Mettiki Coal, LLC, 293 Table Rock Road, Oakland, MD 21550, and the mineral is owned by Western Pocahontas Limited Partnership, 1035 3rd Avenue, P.O. Box 2827, Huntington, WV 25727-2827.

The permit area is within the U.S. Geologic Survey Table Rock 7.5 minute quadrangle. See the attached vicinity map. Questions concerning this application may be directed to the Maryland Bureau of Mines, Permitting Section 301-689-6104.

A copy of the application is available for public review at the Bureau of Mines, 160 South Water Street, Frostburg, MD, during normal office hours. Written comments on this application and requests for a public hearing will be received until Oct. 27, 2006, by the Maryland Bureau of Mines, Permitting Section, 160 South Water Street, Frostburg, Maryland 21532. Attention: Permit No. SM 97-428 OPA 06-62

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## INVITATION FOR BIDS

Separate and sealed Bids will be received by the Garrett County Community Action Committee, Inc., 104 East Center Street, Oakland, MD 21550, until 4:00 p.m. (EST) prevailing time on Tuesday, October 3, 2006, for the following Contract: CONTRACT 2006-GEN-01:

## PRITTS BUILDING DEMOLITION

Work consists of, but not limited to, the demolition of two (2) story masonry frame building and paved parking lot, including the abatement of hazardous materials consisting of asbestos and PCB's at 112 Liberty Street in the Town of Oakland, Garrett County, Maryland. Work also entails the backfill and stabilization of the site upon removal of the building.

Contract Documents, including Drawings and Technical Specifications, may be reviewed by interested Bidders at the office of The EADS Group, Inc. (Telephone: 814-445-6551), 450 Aberdeen Drive, Somerset, PA 15501, or at the office of the Garrett County Community Action Committee, Inc., 104 East Center Street, Oakland, MD 21550. Copies of the Contract Documents may be obtained by a NON-REFUNDABLE deposit of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00), which price includes 6% Pennsylvania Sales Tax, with all checks made payable to The EADS Group, Inc., 450 Aberdeen Drive, Somerset, PA 15501, for each set of documents so obtained. Addenda, if any, will be issued to only those persons whose names and addresses are on record with the Engineer as having obtained the Contract Documents.

Bid Bond in an amount equal to 10% of the Total Bid shall be submitted with each Bid. A certified check, payable to the Garrett County Community Action Committee, Inc., will be acceptable.

A pre-bid meeting has been scheduled on Tuesday, September 19, 2006, at 1:00 p.m. at the project site. Prospective Bidders are encouraged to attend to examine the extent of the work and take into account the conditions affecting the prosecution of the work and operational requirements.

This project is funded in part by Federal funds through the Community Development Block Grant Program and the United States Department of Agriculture. Attention is called to the fact that not less than the minimum salaries and wages as set forth in the Davis-Bacon Act, and as described within the Contract Documents, must be paid on this project; that the Contractor must ensure that employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of their race, age, color, religion, sex, national origin, or handicap; that a mandatory ratio of apprentices and trainees to journeymen is required in each craft and the Contractor (and any Subcontractors) is obliged to make a "diligent effort" to achieve these ratios; and that to the greatest extent feasible, opportunities for training and employment be given lower income persons of the project area and must to the greatest extent possible utilize project area businesses located in or owned in substantial part by project area residents.

In addition to the Equal Employment requirements of Executive Order 11246, the Contractor must also establish a 6.9% goal for female participation and a 6.3% goal for minority participation in his/her aggregate on-site construction workforce. The Bidder/Officer must submit documentary evidence of Section 3 business concerns who have been contacted and to whom commitments have been made. Documentation of such solicitations and commitments shall be submitted concurrently with the Bid.

All Bidders are hereby notified that minority/women businesses will be afforded full opportunity to submit Bids in response to this notice and will not be subjected to discrimination on the basis of race, color, sex or national origin in consideration for an award. The Contract sets forth a 5% goal for minority business participation and 3% goal for women business participation and specific requirements for meeting that goal in the procurement of subcontractors, material suppliers or services by the Contractor in accordance with Executive Order 11625 and 12138.

Bids shall be submitted on forms prescribed and Bids may be held for a period not to exceed sixty (60) days from the date of bid opening for the purpose of reviewing the Bids and investigating the qualifications of Bidders, prior to awarding the Contract. No Bidder may withdraw his/her Bid after the hour set for opening thereof, or before award of Contract, unless said award is delayed for a period of more than sixty (60) days.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all Bids, or to waive any informalities in the bidding.

The successful Bidder will be required to furnish satisfactory Performance Bond and a Labor and Materialmen's Bond before awarding the Contract.

The successful Bidder will be required to fully complete all work within sixty (60) consecutive calendar days from, and including, the date indicated by the Garrett County Community Action Committee, Inc., in their written Notice to Proceed.

GARRETT COUNTY COMMUNITY ACTION COMMITTEE, INC.

Duane Yoder, President

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## CLASSIFIED ADS

Reaching Over 35,000  
Readers In  
Garrett County & Vicinity

Deadline:  
Tuesday, 5 PM  
Phone: 301-334-3963

## EMPLOYMENT

**HELP WANTED** - Residential resource counselor. The MD Salem Children's Trust, which provides residential & educational services to children in need, is seeking an individual to work in both our residential and educational program. During the school year, this individual would be an aide to the classroom staff, helping with de-escalation and behavior management. And when school is not in session, would act as an aide to our residential team, helping the children utilize the family teaching model to teach social skills and serve as a role model. Must have an AA degree, or 60 credit hours of college, or have passed the Praxis Parapro Assessment. Must have one year of experience working with school-age children. Must be at least 21, have a valid driver's license with a clean driving record, pass a criminal background & Child Protective Service check & pass a pre-employment physical/TB test. If qualified & interested, contact Tom Ruckert @ 301-689-8176, ext. 213. 27-4.

**HELP WANTED** - Contingent upon funding, the Appalachian Laboratory of the University of Maryland System has an opening for a Step I faculty research assistant to work in the field of freshwater benthic ecology. Qualifications include: experience in the identification of benthic macroinvertebrates, familiarity with the Maryland Biological Stream Survey, an ability to work in field sampling, knowledge of QA/QC and computer skills. A BS degree in the biological sciences, or a related field, is the minimal requirement for this position. Send a letter of application and a detailed resume to: Dr. R. P. Morgan II, University of Maryland Center for Environmental Science, Appalachian Laboratory, 301 Braddock Road,

301-689-8176, ext. 213.

**HELP WANTED** - Math teacher. The MD Salem Children's Trust in northeastern Garrett Co., Md., is seeking a teacher for our full-day special education math class. Must have a BS or BA de-

gree in education with passing scores on math Praxis-tests grades 6-adult. Should also have 1 yr. exp. working with children. Benefits include health ins., sick leave, personal days and holidays as per the school calendar. Must be at least 21, have a valid driver's license with a good driving record, pass a criminal background & Child Protective Service check & pass a pre-employment physical/TB test. If qualified & interested, contact Tom Ruckert @ 301-689-8176, ext. 213. 27-4.

**HELP WANTED** - Teaching parents. The MD Salem Children's Trust in northeastern Garrett Co., Md., providing residential and special education services to children in need, is seeking applicants to work full or part time in our residential group home setting. May require some overnight stays. Must have at least high school diploma with child care experience recommended. Must be at least 21, have a valid driver's license with a clean driving record, pass a criminal background & Child Protective Service check & pass a pre-employment physical/TB test. If qualified & interested, contact Tom Ruckert @ 301-689-8176, ext. 213. 29-2.

**HELP WANTED** - Part-time maintenance person (24 hours per week) to do general labor and maintenance work on facilities, grass cutting, snow removal, garbage pickup and vehicle maintenance. Must be 18 years of age, have one year related experience and possess valid driver's license. Application and resume can be mailed to: Town of Deer

## EMPLOYMENT

Frostburg, MD 21532. The closing date for this position is September 30, 2006. The University of Maryland System is an Equal Opportunity Employer. 28-2.

**HELP WANTED** - Seeking all levels of experienced call center staff for work in McHenry. Some positions require Spanish speaking/interpretation. Fax resumes to 301-722-4487 or email hr@govconconsult.com. 28-2.

**HELP WANTED** - Need extra money for Christmas? If so, Merkle Response is hiring! If you desire to be part of a growing company that rewards its employees for their contributions, we want you to be part of the Merkle team. We are looking for 2nd shift data entry clerks at our Grantsville facility, located in the Northern Garrett Industrial Park, just off Exit 19 in Grantsville. Successful data entry clerk candidates will have excellent alpha/numeric keyboarding skills. We offer benefits for full- and part-time employees and flexible work schedules. Resumes and applications may be submitted to: Merkle Response Services Inc., 92 Corporate Drive, Grantsville, MD 21536; 301-895-3748. EOE. 28-2.

**HELP WANTED** - Help wanted for elderly couple in Deer Park from Fri., 5 p.m. to Sun., 5 p.m. Call 301-334-4505. 28-3.

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Howard N. Biennan, et al.

4520 East West Highway,

Suite 200

Bethesda, MD 20814

Substitute Trustees

Plaintiffs

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**HELP WANTED** - Carpenter & carpenter's helper. Interior/exterior work. 240-321-7654. 28-2.

**HELP WANTED** - Melanie's Family Restaurant seeking experienced cook. Flexible hours, full time. Pay based on ability. Apply in person or call for an appointment. 304-735-3219. 28-2.

**HELP WANTED** - Part-time receptionist needed for real estate office. Responsibilities include answering multi-line telephone system, greeting clients & miscellaneous office duties as needed. Must be available to work weekends. Send resumes to: 23789 Garrett Hwy., Suite 2, McHenry, MD 21541, Attn: HR Dept. 25-5.

**HELP WANTED** - Busy carpet store in Deep Creek Lake, Md., area needs experienced carpet installers immediately. References required. 301-387-6976. 26-5.

## EMPLOYMENT

**HELP WANTED** - Admissions/training coordinator. The MD Salem Children's Trust in northeastern Garrett Co., Md., providing residential and special education services to children in need, is seeking an applicant to manage our referral and intake process and coordinate all needed training for the residential program. Must have a bachelor's degree. Social work preferred, other BA degrees considered. Computer experience essential, including data entry and analysis. Benefits include health ins., annual & sick leave, paid holidays. Must be at least 21, have a valid driver's license with a clean driving record, pass a criminal background & Child Protective Service check & pass a pre-employment physical/TB test. If qualified & interested, contact Tom Ruckert @ 301-689-8176, ext. 213. 28-2.

## EMPLOYMENT

**HELP WANTED** - Custom cabinet and furniture shop seeks motivated individual to assist in the production and installation of custom casegoods and furniture. Knowledge of woodworking equipment and installation helpful. Must have own transportation. Contact Gregan Crawford at 301-334-1100 during normal business hours. 28-5.

**HELP WANTED** - Avon! Earn 50% fast cash and free gift. \$10 to start. Call Karen, 301-334-3454. 28-4.

**HELP WANTED** - Meat cutter, slaughter floor helper & meat wrapper. Call 301-746-5600. 28-2.

## EMPLOYMENT

**HELP WANTED** - Housekeepers for busy bed & breakfast at the lake. Guest room cleaning and help with breakfast prep and serving. Part-time morning hours, flexible schedule. Must be available most weekends. Great team atmosphere, good pay & great tips for energetic, dependable person. Camel Cove Inn, 301-387-0067. 27-5.

**HELP WANTED** - Cleaning company now hiring personnel to work weekends and some weekdays. Must have dependable transportation and phone. Call & leave message at 301-616-4966. 27-5.

## EMPLOYMENT

**HELP WANTED** - Tired of spending all your money commuting back and forth to work? Let the trucking industry pay your way. Obtain CDL training from Mountaintop Truck Driving Institute in Grantsville, Md. Beginning drivers can earn \$40,000 or more with benefits. Weekday & weekend courses available. Government grants, tuition reimbursement and student loans offered to qualify individuals. Call toll free for details. 1-866-851-MTDI. 28-4.

## EMPLOYMENT

**HELP WANTED** - School social worker. The MD Salem Children's Trust, which provides residential & educational services to children in need, is seeking a licensed social worker for its special education school. Program founded on Christian principles. Responsibilities include providing individual & group therapy, writing social/emotional IEP goals, helping to evaluate referrals and handling case management. This is a 12-month position. Must have a master's in social

## EMPLOYMENT

work & be licensed by the MD State Board of Social Work Examiners. Must have a valid driver's license with a clean driving record, pass a criminal background & CPS check & pass a pre-employment physical/TB test. If qualified & interested, contact Tom Ruckert @ 301-689-8176, ext. 213. 29-2.

**HELP WANTED** - Experienced carpenters & laborers for general residential construction. 301-387-0365. 26-5.

## EMPLOYMENT

**HELP WANTED** - First Peoples Community Federal Credit Union is currently looking for a full-time teller for our Grantsville office. Good communication and math skills required. Please stop by our office for an application, fill out an online application at [www.firstpeoples.com](http://www.firstpeoples.com), or send your resume to First Peoples Credit Union, Attn: Human Resources, P.O. Box 1377, Cumberland, MD 21501. 29-2.

**OFFICE ASSISTANT** - The Garrett County Health Department is accepting applications for a part-time contractual Office Assistant to provide support to the Adult Evaluation Review Services Personal Care program two to three days per week. Typing and computer experience required. Proficiency test will be given. Billing/payroll experience helpful. Salary \$9.76 - \$11.76 per hour based on experience. Position is contractual without benefits.

Send Maryland State Employment Application to: Personnel, Garrett County Health Department, 1025 Memorial Drive, Oakland, MD 21550. Monday - Friday, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. Application available at [www.garretthealth.org](http://www.garretthealth.org). Closing date for receipt of applications is September 28, 2006. Equal Opportunity Employer/MFH.

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Needed For Expanding  
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Existing tanning salon "Island Sun" in Mtn. Lake Park soon to be under new management is looking for an experienced nail tech. The ability to apply acrylic nails is a must. Offering a competitive salary and additional bonuses.  
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The Adventure Sports Center, Inc. (ASCI) is searching for a dynamic, organized, and motivated individual to serve as its Business Manager.

ASCI prefers the successful candidate be very familiar with essential business manager duties including, but not limited to financial resource management, oversight of daily business operation, supervision of administrative staff, management of routine financial reporting, processing payroll, and managing retail/merchandising operations.

The candidate must possess strong organizational and communication skills as well as be detail oriented, possess the ability to manage multiple tasks, and work independently. Advanced business training, certifications, and/or experience is preferred.

This is a full-time position with benefits. Salary is commensurate to experience.  
To express interest, send cover letter and resume by September 22, 2006, 4:00 pm to:

**ASCI Business Manager Search**  
Adventure Sports Center, Inc.  
685 Mosser Road, Suite 7  
McHenry, MD. 21541

## JOB OPENING

Garrett Transit Service, an agency of Garrett County Community Action Committee, Inc. is accepting applications for **Commercial Drivers**. Applicants must have a valid commercial driver license (CDL), Passenger and School Bus endorsement preferred. Must have at least five years driving experience, have an excellent driving record and be able to pass a DOT physical examination. The applicants must be willing to complete Basic First Aid and CPR training. This position will require evening and weekend hours. The successful applicants must pass a criminal background check.

This is a safety sensitive position; therefore successful applicants will be required to pass a pre-employment drug test and be subject to random drug testing while employed. Also a copy of a current driving record will be required.

Applications will be accepted through Friday, September 15, 2006, at 4:30 p.m. at the Human Resources Office, Garrett County Community Action Committee, Inc., 104 E. Center St., Oakland, MD 21550. Call 301-334-9431, or 888-877-8403.

Garrett County Community Action is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

## MD DEPARTMENT OF JUVENILE SERVICES

12-Month Positions in Western Maryland for  
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Must have MSDE certification or be eligible for conditional certification as a Guidance Counselor. Must have MSDE certification or be eligible for conditional certification. For add'l. info on Teacher recruitment and an employment application visit website [www.dis.state.md.us](http://www.dis.state.md.us) and click on Current Job Announcements.

Submit a fully completed MD State Employment Application and a copy of MSDE certificate to the Dept. of Juvenile Services, Office of Human Resources, Recruitment and Examination, One Center Plaza, 120 W. Fayette St., Baltimore, MD 21201. Resumes are not accepted in lieu of the application. To download a MD State Application go to the above website or [www.DBM.maryland.gov](http://www.DBM.maryland.gov) and click on State Jobs. For additional info call 410-230-3260. EOE

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## MISCELLANEOUS

**HUNTING TRIPS** - Openings still available in Texas & Nebraska for 2006 season. Major credit cards accepted. 304-822-2570 or [www.goldcircleoutfitters.com](http://www.goldcircleoutfitters.com). 29-3.

**FOR SALE** - Complete heating system V8 Series Burnham oil-fired furnace. 120,000 BTUs. Roughly 72" of baseboard heaters roughly 300' of 3/4" copper pipe, all fittings & controls. Burned less than 1000 gallons of fuel. Domestic hot water coil. All for \$5,000. 1-year old 1000 gallon above ground fuel tank painted with 19" of fuel, for only 360 gallons. \$1950 including oil. 301-387-6586.

**FOR SALE** - Kitchen island 48"x32"x36". 13" color TV. Weber charcoal grill. RCA VCR. HP printer. Desk Jet 3745. Sunbeam bread-maker. Lady's golf set. 3 wools & 5 tons. L.L. Bean arm wood hider. 2 tennis racquets men's. Wilson Pro-Staff Lite & lady's Dunlap Energy Tires. (2) R15 6000 miles with 13,000 miles; (1) R14 Republic all season radial with 8000 miles. (2) R14 Winter Master snow tires with 6000 miles. 4 antique kitchen chairs. Antique rocker. Computer, Macintosh Performer 578 with color Stylewriter 2400 model. 301-387-8119. Call evenings. 29-2.

**MOVING SALE** - GE washing & dryer set, like new, large capacity. \$300. Fantom Fury vacuum with HEPA filter, bagless, 120 amps, like new. \$50. Ab swinging body system, like new. \$25. All in excellent condition. 301-334-4503. 29-2.

**FOR SALE** - Empire propane heating stove. 65K BTU. vents through a flue, glass front, with log. Great cond. Asking \$275. 301-334-0711. 29-2.

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**FOR SALE** - Papasan chair w/stool, \$50; 30 gal. Sears humidifier, \$15; Kenmore microwave, \$30; VCR, \$15; 8x13 chimney flue cap, \$10; TV stand, \$30; 2 double bed frames, \$30 each; Coleman camp stove, \$10; 2 ski bags, \$10 each; computer keyboard tray, \$10. 301-334-9331. 29-4.

**FOR SALE** - Simpson doors. American red oak, Style 20, 36" pre-hung, \$375. 30" pre-hung, \$300. Two 36" doors only, \$300 each. Style 21, 4 ft. bi-folds, \$225. Selling at 70% of best price. Call 301-501-1252. 29-4.

**FOR SALE** - 1954 D-8 Cat dozer with 11 ft. cable blade. John Deere 440 dozer. 301-895-5788. 29-2.

**FOR SALE** - Wood burning fireplace insert, \$1200. Large glass window in door. Two built-in fans with variable speed control for circulating air around fireplace. Paid over \$3000 new. 301-616-8432. 29-tn.

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**FOR SALE** - Sentry Model 1380 safe, size 17" wide, 22" depth, 21" high, \$170. Also, 19" Zenith color TV with remote, exc. cond., \$75. Call after 6 p.m. 301-387-9052. 29-1.

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**FOR SALE** - Solid glass nail files. Use on natural or acrylic nails. For info, send SASE & \$1 to P.O. Box 391, Terra Alta, WV 26764, or to order, email chilles2@msn.com; \$10. 29-4.

**FOR SALE** - 2 lg. boilers or coal furnaces. Make offer. 301-334-1117. 26-4.

**FOR SALE** - 1997 307 Cat excavator, \$24,000. 13 ft. aluminum dump body with hoist, \$6500. 301-359-3517 or 301-697-5047. 26-4.

**FOR SALE** - Mattress specials: king pillowtop, reg. \$1600, our price \$745; queen set, \$495; full set, \$425; single set, \$345; regular mattresses cheaper. Also, bedroom & dining room furniture. Hummel's, 301-689-8160. 25-5.

**FOR SALE** - Nursery stock. Dug trees starting at \$8; blue spruce, Norway, white pine, fir, white spruce, Canaan Valley fir & hemlock. Call Jay Rice, 301-533-1919. 25-5.

**FOR SALE** - 6 kitchen dinette chairs, white metal wall-mount medicine cabinet with mirror; 2 bathroom vanities with ceramic tops: 22"x49"x30" high, blue & white swirl top, dark wood, single bowl, and 19"x31"x30 1/2" high, tan & white swirl top, light wood, single bowl. Metal TV stand. All items reasonably priced. 304-789-2735.

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**FOR SALE** - Lincoln Ranger 10,000 welder, 50 ft. welding lead, 6 hrs., \$3800. 304-379-2655. 28-5.

**FOR SALE** - Fireplace Country Flame insert, wood-burning, heats up to 3000 sq. ft., black w/brass trim, \$650. 301-387-4617 or 410-825-3163. 28-3.

**FOR SALE** - 8'x16' garage door, premium insulated steel door. Great shape, 3 yrs. old. \$1000 new, will sell for \$400. 301-387-6563. 28-5.

**FOR SALE** - Red cedar shakes, still in boxes, 18 boxes, 96 pieces each box, 5"x18" in size. Also, 25 red cedar ridge caps. \$500. 410-848-0414. 28-4.

**FOR SALE** - New & used Andersen doors & windows, kitchen & bath furnishings. 240-321-7654. 28-2.

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**FOR SALE** - Selmer clarinet, like new, \$350. 301-334-6991. 28-2.

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**FOR SALE** - Hilti power actuated tool, \$100. Call 301-501-2403. 27-4.

**FOR SALE** - Custom-built storage buildings & playhouses. 301-895-3688. 27-5.

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**FOR SALE** - 2 bedroom suits: one antique, one non-antique style. Floor model TV. Chest freezer. Must sell. 301-245-4287, 301-616-1875. 26-4.

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**309 S SECOND STREET** R6173206 Downtown building with parking spaces in rear currently being used as Beauty Salon with 3 floors of usable space. Remodeled and ready for investor to lease or business owner that needs great space. **\$249,900**

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**LAKEVIEW TOWNHOUSE - VILLAGES OF WISP** R6168313 This 3bed/ba. town home has the best views of the lake available in the Villages. Being sold turnkey with nice furniture, recently upgraded kitchen and hot tub included. Slope access and lake access. **\$405,000**



**SUNPLACE UNIT 10** R6174425 Come to Deep Creek and relax in this 3 bedroom, 2 bath end unit of Sunplace. Year-round lake and slope views can be enjoyed from the lakeside deck or while warming up in front of the fireplace. **\$379,000**



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**NEW LOTS**

**HIGHLINE** R6180214 This is your opportunity to own a view lot at Highline offering ski slope access with mountain and lake views. Located close to the proposed Adventure Sports Complex. **\$675,000**

**OVERLOOK RIDGE** Overlook Ridge at Deep Creek Lake will provide Phase 1 owners a lake view, lake access and boat slip. A contract on home sites 1-8 will bind purchasers to a construction contract with Gardner Homes.

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**ROCK LODGE ROAD** R5350273 Charming cottage with room to grow! Beautiful level lake access with boat slip! Located within minutes of DCL & Wisp amenities. Being sold furnished with established rental history. **\$359,000**



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**1670 MOSSER ROAD** R5423962 Nice rancher right in heart of DCL area. Fully finished lower level & attached 2-car garage give you extra space you've been needing. Views of Wisp or sunset from covered front porch or living room. **\$209,000**



**325 MOSSER ROAD** R6087602 Well maintained 3 BR, 2 bath home with views of Deep Creek Lake. Home features a heated garage, an office, and hot tub all on a beautifully landscaped lot with a fenced-in back yard. **\$400,000**



**MOVE-IN CONDITION** R6125675 This three bedroom, two bath rancher has been updated and is in move in condition, complete with appliances and out buildings. Conveniently located within walking distance to Town Park. **\$184,900**

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## GC Health Dept. Confirms 11th Rabies Case

Environmental Health Services of the Garrett County Health Department has reported the eleventh case of laboratory confirmed rabies for the county this year. This latest case occurred on Sept. 11 and involved a skunk and two puppies in the Hare Hollow Road area, which is south of Grantsville.

The property owner was alerted by the barking of the puppies early that morning, and when he went to check, found a skunk in the pen with the dogs. He killed the skunk, and it was sent to the Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene Rabies laboratory, where it was confirmed to have the rabies virus. There was no human exposure as the dog owner took precautions while dealing with the incident, according to a Health Department spokesperson.

"The puppies, 9 weeks old, are too young to be vaccinated against rabies," she said. "It was determined that the mother of the puppies is currently vaccinated, thus the puppies should have some limited immunity to the virus."

The puppies will be vaccinated at 3 months of age, which is the youngest dogs and cats can be vaccinated. In addition, they will be placed in strict, double confined quarantine for six months. One person has been designated as their caretaker.

"The last two cases of rabies were from the central to southern portion of the county, and this latest case is from the northern end of the county, reinforcing to the public that animals infected with the rabies virus are [found] throughout the entire county," stressed the spokesperson.

The Garrett County Health Department will sponsor the last round of low-cost rabies clinics for 2006 during the last week in September. The clinics will run from Monday, Sept. 25, through Saturday, Sept. 30, and will be held in Grantsville, Swanton, Crelin, Friendsville, Kitzmiller, and Oakland. The cost per animal is \$5 for the rabies shot. Dog and cat licenses will be available.

The Health Department urges pet owners to check the vaccination status of their pets. Puppies, kittens, and ferrets can be vaccinated at 3 months of age and by law need to be vaccinated by 4 months of age. Puppies and kittens under



**READING TO ROVER** — Actually, the dog's name is Chaucer, but he is indeed being read to as part of Ruth Enlow Library's new "StoryTells" program. The purpose is to help children gain confidence in reading, as each youngster reads to a dog for about 15 minutes, with the dog's handler sitting nearby to give assistance if necessary. The children seem to enjoy the activity, as well as the dogs. All dogs in the program are certified by Therapy Dogs International, and they range in size from tiny to large. The program will be offered at the Oakland library on Monday, Oct. 2, and Monday, Nov. 6. The Accident library will host it on Wednesdays, Oct. 11 and Nov. 8. StoryTells will begin at 4 p.m. and end at 6 p.m. in both locations.

## 39th Autumn Glory To Feature Wide Variety Of Activities

by Jo Donaldson, Chamber of Commerce  
See nature at its best during Autumn Glory in "Mountain Maryland." Celebrate the beautiful fall season with two large parades, concerts, band competitions, art exhibits, antique and craft shows, and much more as Garrett County celebrates its 39th Autumn Glory Festival.

From Wednesday through Sunday, Oct. 11-15, the area offers a wide variety of things to do indoors or outdoors. The annual recognition of the Golden Ambassador will kick off the festival on Wednesday with a dinner and entertainment by the Mon River Big Band.

Thursday will feature the Oktoberfest dinner and concert by the local oompah band and a giant firemen's parade in Oakland.

The week continues with historic area and train station tours, antique and craft shows, fine arts exhibits, dances, a ski and snowboard swap, a farmers' market, a 5K/2-mile run/walk, storytelling and book festival, a NASCAR and comic

## Three Counties Involved In High-Speed Car Chase

A 21-year-old man in a 1997 Subaru was caught in Morgantown after being pursued by police in a high-speed chase that began on I-68 near the Friendsville exit Friday at approximately 7 p.m., according to the Maryland State Police.

Tfc S. LeMay of the MSP reported that the chase began at 6:56 p.m., when he tried to pull Jonathan Michael Allen Fletcher, Cross Junction, Va., over for going 96 mph in a posted 65 mph zone just west of Old Morgantown Road.

Refusing to stop for police, Fletcher reportedly tried to ram LeMay's cruiser, then sped around a traffic stop, and through the median, before trying to run LeMay over — who was standing on the highway, attempting to stop traffic.

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Parents are encouraged to register their children ahead of time to secure a time slot, but walk-ins will be accommodated on a first-come, first-served basis. Persons may register at the circulation desk in the Oakland or Accident library, or may call Oakland at 301-334-3996, ext. 115 or 117, or Accident at 301-746-8792. Children may bring a book of their own or choose one from the library. Therapy Dogs International (www.tdi-dog.org) is an organization that certifies dogs and their handlers for visitations in a variety of facilities and settings. For more information, persons may visit the library's web site at www.mlib.net. In the photo, Samantha Michaels reads to Chaucer, as well as to Zachary Friend and Kassidi Paugh.

## Garrett College, University Of Md. UC Announce Alliance Partnership

Garrett College in McHenry and the University of Maryland University College (UMUC) have announced an alliance partnership to offer students greater access and opportunity to associate's and bachelor's degrees.

Beginning this fall, Garrett College will offer dual admission into several UMUC programs including business administration, global business and public policy, management studies, criminal justice, and environmental management.

A signing ceremony with UMUC president Dr. Susan Aldridge and Garrett College president Dr. Paul Dauphinais took place recently at Garrett College's Art Gallery.

"This partnership with UMUC provides well-rounded, world-class educational opportunities to students in western Maryland," said Dauphinais. "It provides a seamless transition from the associate's to the bachelor's degree, and allows students to complete the degree in one geographic location, giving our students greater access to four-year degrees."

The alliance partnership is designed to allow students from Garrett College to have simultaneous enrollment in both schools, allowing them to receive their degrees from UMUC at the same location without transfers and applications. In addition to the seamless transition and access to the

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## \$1M Allocated To Garrett County For Rural Legacy

Gov. Robert L. Ehrlich Jr. this week announced \$26 million in Fiscal Year 2007 Rural Legacy Program grant awards to area land trusts and local governments, including \$1 million for Garrett County. The proposed awards are scheduled to go before the Board of Public Works in October for final approval.

Locally, the funding is earmarked to buy conservation easements in the Bear Creek Rural Legacy Area. The amount of acres purchased will depend upon property assessments.

"We estimate somewhere between 400 to 475 acres of easements can be purchased with this money, including incidental costs associated with surveys, appraisals, title work, etc.," said Director John Nelson, Garrett County Department of Planning and Land Development.

The purpose of the grant is to protect some of the county's most productive farmland to ensure the long-term viability of agriculture in the Bear Creek watershed. The 31,437-acre Bear Creek Rural Legacy Area includes the Bear Creek drainage basin, Deep Creek Lake, the Cove scenic overlook, the Bear Creek Fish Hatchery, and a large amount of state and private forest lands, view sheds, natural habitats, and waterways.

So far, the county has purchased easements totaling 600 acres on five properties in the Bear Creek area at a cost of \$1,050,000 in Rural Legacy funds, according to Nelson.

"This amount included incidental costs," he noted. "We are also working on another 160 acres with last year's funding of \$371,705. Total funding to date including this new award is \$2,421,705."

In addition to Bear Creek, 18 other Rural Legacy funds, according to Nelson.



**EXCELLING ON THE PITCHER'S MOUND**, and also in the classroom, at Greensboro (N.C.) College is 2004 Northern High School graduate Torrey Pohlolsky, who was recently honored for having earned the highest grade point average for all athletes, in every sport, at Greensboro. The left-hander, who posted an impressive ERA of 1.26 as a freshman for the Greensboro Pride, is the son of Len and Sally Pohlolsky, Bittling.

## Ballots Tabulated From Primary; Votes To Be Certified Tomorrow

Chief Deputy Gary Berkebile received 15 more votes than Captain Larry Gnegy in their bid to become Garrett County's next sheriff, following the results of last week's primary election and the tabulation of absentee, provisional, and military ballots. All votes, however, must be certified tomorrow, Sept. 22, noted Director Steve Fratz, Garrett County Board of Elections.

When polls closed Tuesday evening, Berkebile led the race by only seven votes, and the results of other balloting played a vital role in

determining a winner.

According to the Garrett County Board of Elections, the still unofficial results are: Berkebile, 2,210 votes; Gnegy, 2,195; and Harland Tichnell, a former chief deputy, 665. All ran on the Republican ticket. No Democrats ran for office.

Sheriff Dick Sanders chose not to run for re-election, but supported Berkebile, his second in command since 1997. Gnegy has been with the sheriff's office for more than 26 years and is currently the jail administrator.

In another close race, Ed Clemons beat out Ann Rebele by 23 votes for the last seat on the Republican Central Committee. Ten candidates vied for seven openings on the committee. The results are as follows: Arzella Parsons, 2,823; Mike Bittling, 2,604; Ruth Umbel, 2,474; Bea Crocco, 2,299; Sheila O'Neill, 2,254; Brandon Butler, 1,878; Clemons, 1,545; Rebele, 1,522; Jeffery Conner 1,322; and Tom Sheahan, 1,245.

Former Garrett County commissioner Wendell Beitzel received 360 more votes than Oakland town councilman Jay Moyer in their bid for the Republican nomination for the Maryland House of Delegates District 1A.

Including George's Creek in Allegany County, Beitzel received 1,997 votes; Moyer, 1,637; Brenda Butscher, 1,212; Dave Moe, 1,046; and DeCorsey Bolden, 450.

Beitzel will face Democrat Bill Aiken of Accident in the Nov. 7 general election. Aiken ran unopposed and received 1,539 votes, including those from Allegany County.

Of the 16,028 registered voters in Garrett County, 41.4 percent cast ballots in the primary election, according to the board of elections.

Results of the primary can be viewed online at co.garrett.md.us/Elections/2006Election.aspx. Per precinct results and a summary of the race will be posted following tomorrow's certification, noted Fratz.

**Closing Notice**  
The Oakland and Grantsville offices of The Republican will be closed Friday, Sept. 22, from noon until 2 p.m.



**GARRETT AND UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND UC JOIN FORCES** — A special signing ceremony took place at Garrett College recently as the local school joined forces with the University of Maryland University College (UMUC) to offer students greater access and opportunity to earn associate's and bachelor's degrees. Beginning this fall, Garrett College will offer dual admission into several UMUC programs. See story. Pictured from left are Amy Shimko, coordinator of Maryland operations, UMUC; Dr. Virginia Broadus, dean of academic affairs, Garrett College; Dr. Paul Dauphinais, president, Garrett College; Dr. Susan Aldridge, president, UMUC; Marky Campbell, assistant vice president, Maryland operations, UMUC; and Lisa Romano, director of community relations, Maryland operations, UMUC.



## Man Hurt When Making Repair Underneath Car

An Accident man, who was working underneath his 1994 Ford Ranger, was injured when his car drifted across his chest Monday at 8:40 p.m., according to the Maryland State Police.

Matthew Plevyak, 55, was attempting to repair a mechanical problem while his car was parked in the lot of the McHenry Beverage Shoppe when the accident occurred. The Northern Garrett Rescue Squad transported Plevyak to Garrett Memorial Hospital.

## DOT Secretary To Kick Off Annual Budget Tour Mon.

Maryland Department of Transportation Secretary Robert L. Flanagan this week announced the start of his annual statewide budget tour to discuss the six-year capital transportation budget for 2007 to 2012. He will meet with the Garrett County commissioners on Friday, Oct. 13, at 10 a.m. in their meeting room at the courthouse.

The event is open to the public and will include the review of a list of transportation priorities compiled by local officials.

Flanagan's meetings will begin Monday, Sept. 25, in Charles County. His entire tour of all 23 counties and Baltimore City will be completed on Nov. 15 in Carroll County.

During the meetings, various forms of transportation will be discussed, including transit, highways, tolled bridges, tunnels, the Port of Baltimore, Thurgood Marshall Baltimore-Washington International Airport, and the Motor Vehicle Administration.

"This statewide tour provides a great opportunity for the Department of Transportation to hear first hand the top priorities and trans-



**FRIENDSVILLE NATIVE WELL KNOWN IN SCIENCE WORLD** - Prof. Edward C. Sisler, who was born in Friendsville, has created a method that prevents ripe fruit from rotting and allows cut flowers to last for more than 30 days. He attended the one-room White Rock School before transferring to Friendsville Elementary School and then graduating from Friendsville High School. He received his bachelor of science degree in botany in 1954 and his master's of science in plant physiology from the University of Maryland. He also received his Ph.D. in plant physiology from North Carolina State University three years later. Since 1982, he has worked as a professor of biochemistry in the Department of Structural and Molecular Biochemistry at North Carolina State University. Since Sisler's first research paper in 1956, he has written dozens of cornerstone papers on plant biology. He has contributed significantly to two fields in ethylene biology. In 1979, Sisler was the first to develop a method for measurement of ethylene binding in plants, which immediately brought him worldwide recognition and helped to establish collaboration with an international research community that expanded over the years. He is the son of the late Daniel C. and Ida F. Sisler. He is the brother of Elsie Slagle of Garrett County. Sisler is pictured above in Thailand while he was working on his research.

portation needs across the state of Maryland," said Flanagan. "The one-on-one dialogue is a great tool the Ehrlich administration uses to deliver one of the best transportation networks in the nation."

In addition to the Maryland Transportation Authority representatives, the Maryland Department of Transportation will have representatives from several agencies participating in the meetings, including the State Highway Administration, Maryland Transit Administration, Motor Vehicle Administration, Maryland Port Administration, and Maryland Aviation Administration.

These meetings are a key part of the process to developing Maryland's six-year capital construction pro-

gram, added a DOT spokesperson. Known as the Consolidated Transportation Program, or CTP, the draft program will include transportation improvements to be made by the Maryland Department of Transportation and the Maryland Transportation Authority.

Following the fall tour, a final CTP will be developed and submitted to the General Assembly in January 2007 for the approval of the legislators and the governor.

## Health Dept. To Hold Final Series Of Rabies Clinics

The Garrett County Health Department its third and last series of low-cost rabies clinics for 2006 for the vaccination of cats, dogs, and ferrets beginning Monday, Sept. 25, and concluding Saturday, Sept. 30, at the following locations and times:

- Grantsville Elementary School, Sept. 25, 5 to 6 p.m.
- Swanton Community Center, Sept. 26, 5 to 6 p.m.
- Crellin Elementary School, Sept. 27, 5 to 6 p.m.
- Friendsville Elementary School, Sept. 28, 5 to 6 p.m.
- Kitzmiller Community Center, Sept. 29, 5 to 6 p.m.
- Garrett County Health Department, Oakland, Sept. 30, 10 a.m. to noon.

Cost of the vaccination is \$5 per animal at the clinics. Dogs must be on a leash and under the control of a responsible individual. Cats and ferrets must be brought to the clinic in a cage or a tightly secured box with air holes. If a cage or carrier is

not available, the cat must be carried in a pillowcase or suitable cloth sack.

"Close contact of animals at the clinics increases the risk of bites or scratches," said a Health Department spokesperson. "Please be prepared to restrain and control your animals in order to avoid a potential incident."

Last year Garrett County experienced five confirmed rabies cases in raccoons. So far this year 10 positive cases in raccoons and one skunk have been laboratory confirmed.

"The vaccination of dogs and cats is one of the most critical measures that can be taken by pet owners in protecting their families and themselves from possible exposure to the rabies virus," said the spokesperson.

"Since wildlife rabies continues to be present in Garrett County, all pet owners are strongly urged to bring their pets to one of the six clinics," added the spokesperson. "Unvaccinated dogs and cats exposed to rabid animals face the possibility of euthanization in order to protect their owners and the general public. The necessity of destroying family pets that are unvaccinated can be avoided by keeping vaccinations current."

"Because of the wide geographical distribution of documented rabies cases, no dog or cat being kept in Garrett County can be considered safe from exposure to the disease. Pet owners are highly encouraged to check the expiration date on their pet's rabies certificate to determine the need for revaccination at one of the upcoming clinics or at a local veterinarian's office."

While Maryland law requires that dogs, cats and ferrets over 4 months of age have the required vaccination against rabies, animals at least 3 months of age can be brought to the clinics and adequately protected by vaccination. Dogs and cats need to be revaccinated every 3 years. Puppies and kittens vaccinated between the ages of 3 and 12 months, and dogs and cats receiving their first vaccination must be revaccinated 12 months later. Ferrets

need to be revaccinated every year.

Failure to vaccinate pets against rabies in Maryland is a violation of the Annotated Code of Maryland Health General Article 18, Section 318 and may be punishable by a fine of up to \$500 per animal, noted the spokesperson.

Additionally, Garrett County requires that dogs and cats have pet licenses, will be available at each clinic.

## United Way To Hold Fundraiser Kickoff Friday

Charlie and Cherie Ross are the co-chairs for this year's United Way of Garrett County campaign. To kick off the fundraising drive, the Rosses will host a breakfast for business leaders and friends Friday, Sept.

22, from 7:30 to 8:30 a.m. at Will O' the Wisp.

"The United Way of Garrett County is one of our community's most important assets," said a County United Way spokesperson. "Everyone has the opportunity to help make our United Way an even more important resource. Please come out to hear about Untied Way and how we can all be part of its program and success."

For more information,

persons contact Charlie Ross at the Garrett County Chamber of Commerce at 301-387-5238 or charlie@garrettchamber.com.

## Oakland Woman Cited In Two-Vehicle Mishap

An Oakland woman was cited in a two-vehicle accident Monday evening on Third Street at the intersection of Center Street in Oak-

land, according to Garrett County sheriff's deputies.

Tracie Graham, 33, and Russel Otto, 36, Oakland, were both sitting stationary in their vehicles at a steady red traffic light when Graham allegedly accelerated her vehicle forward before the light changed and struck Otto's vehicle. No injuries were reported.

Graham was charged with failure to obey a traffic device.

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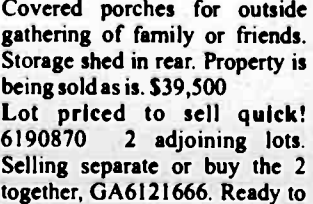
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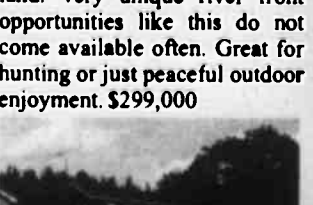
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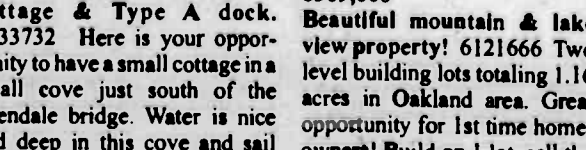
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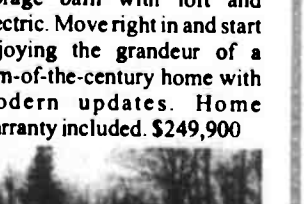
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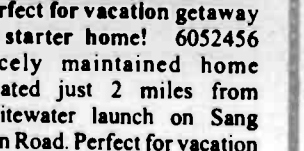
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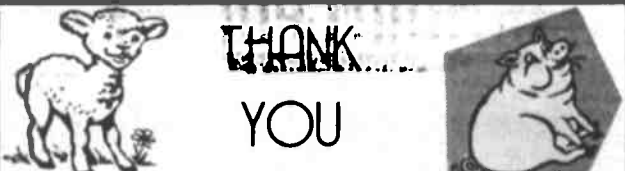


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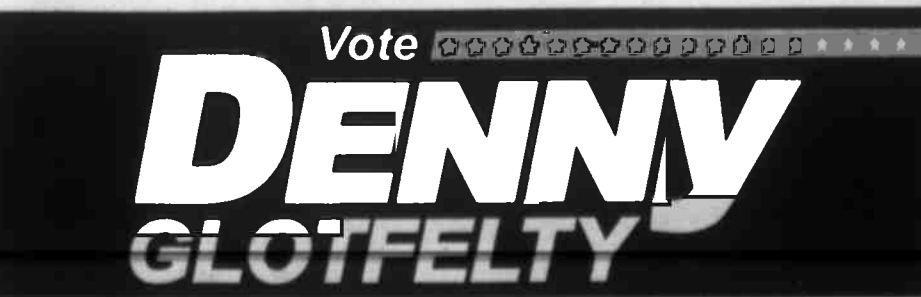


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## Police Seeking Information In Weekend Case

The Garrett County Sheriff's Office is investigating an incident that occurred sometime between late evening on Friday, Sept. 15, and early morning on Saturday, Sept. 16.

According to police an unknown person(s) stole a 2000 Chevrolet full-size pickup truck from the Mtn. Lake Park area, drove it to a bar in Gorman, W.Va., and later wrecked it into a house there. The vehicle was eventually returned to the location where it was stolen from with severe damage, police added.

The truck is described as a black 2000 Chevrolet full-size short bed pickup truck with a large red sticker covering the majority of the rear window. It has blacked out windows, chrome grille, and a chrome tool box in the bed.

Persons who may have seen this vehicle or its occupants at the bar in Gorman or anywhere between the hours of 10 p.m. on Friday and 4 a.m. on Saturday are asked to call the Sheriff's Office at 301-334-1911 or Crime Solvers at 301-334-1975.

A reward for information on the identity of the occupant(s) and any information about this case that is

proven factual is being offered, and callers may remain anonymous, police said.

## Man Charged After Fight At Arrowhead

Brett Wayne Fratz, 27, Accident, was charged with driving while under the influence of alcohol, driving while impaired by alcohol, negligent driving, driving on a suspended license, and driving on a revoked license Friday at approximately 2:05 a.m. at the Arrowhead Market parking along Garrett Highway, according to the Maryland State Police.

Tfc M. Clapper of the MSP responded to the Arrowhead Market for a reported fight in progress between two men. According to the police report, Clapper arrived on the scene and observed three men on the parking lot, one of whom identified himself as an off-duty police officer from Keyser, W.Va. The officer said that when he pulled into the parking lot, he saw the two men fighting. The officer intervened and stopped the fight.

The officer further stated that the man, later identified as Fratz, appeared to be intoxicated and drove away from the market and then returned shortly. Upon his return to the market, Fratz



**CONSTITUTION WEEK PROCLAIMED IN GARRETT COUNTY** - The Board of Garrett County Commissioners recently declared Sept. 17-23 Constitution Week and presented the proclamation to Youghiogheny Glades Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution. Pictured left to right are Commissioner Ernie Gregg, Beverly Beard, DAR Constitution Week chair, Commissioner Dave Beard, Aletta Martz, DAR chapter regent, and Commissioner Fred Holliday. Photo courtesy of the DAR.

was handed the above mentioned charges and released on his personal recognizance. Neither man involved in the fight pressed charges against the other, according to the police.

## Garrett College Graduates Now At Bucknell U.

Four Garrett College students are attending Bucknell this semester, and one student will begin studies in the 2007-2008 academic year as part of the Garrett College/Bucknell University Scholars Program.

Garrett College student scholars awarded the scholarship were Rachel Stanton of Grantsville, who is majoring in elementary education and English; Daniel Tichinel of Oakland, majoring in civil engineering; Craig Canfield of Lower Burrell, Pa., who is majoring in business management; Kristina Kask of Estonia, majoring in foreign languages and psychology; and Josef Kariuki of New Jersey, majoring in biology and premed.

Garrett College was invited to have student scholars apply for admissions to Bucknell University beginning the fall 2006 semester, one year ahead of when the Jack Kent Cooke Foundation grant funding is scheduled to begin. Bucknell University is providing the grant money for the 2006-2007 academic year. The Garrett/Bucknell Scholars were required to graduate from Garrett College with an associate's degree in spring 2006.

Each of the Garrett/Bucknell student scholars will receive an academic scholarship to the Lewisburg, Pa., university, plus additional financial aid, depending on income.

"We went through an elaborate screening and interview process that included a committee consisting of Garrett College faculty, administrators, and staff, and a Bucknell University administrator, Mr. Kurt Thiede, vice president of enrollment management and communications," said Phil Rivera of Garrett College. "Garrett/Bucknell student scholars submitted for

mal applications, three letters of references, and an essay as part of the application process. All student scholar applications received were reviewed. Five students were then selected to participate in an interview before the Garrett College/Bucknell University committee. Bucknell University accepted all the student scholars for admission."

Dr. Virginia Broadbush, Garrett's former dean of students at two-year colleges feel that they can't compete with those who are initially accepted into prestigious universities. This is

real proof that students from Garrett College and other two-year colleges across the country receive a top notch education and are able to compete successfully with students from more advantaged situations."

The Jack Kent Cooke Foundation grant has been awarded to a number of selective private institutions, including Bucknell University. The grant is designed to assist community college students in attending distinguished universities in the United States. The grant specifically expects the institutions to attract high achieving transfer students from medium- and low-income families.

## Driver Wrecks Car After Falling Asleep At Wheel

A Frostburg man crashed his 1995 Chevrolet into a tree after he allegedly fell asleep while traveling south on Route 219 north of Route 40 Monday at 2:05 a.m., according to the Maryland State Police.

After falling asleep, David Walker, 20, crossed the center line on Route 219 and continued to the left where his car struck a ditch, overturned, and crashed into a tree, the police said.

The Northern Garrett Rescue Squad transported Walker to Cumberland Memorial Hospital. Walker

was charged with failure to drive right of center, according to the police.

## Involved In

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Police said Fletcher exited 1-68 at Sabraton and drove north on U.S. 119, where he struck a ditch and wrecked his car near the entrance of the Chestnut Ridge Community Church off Point Marion Road.

Fletcher fled the area on foot only to be apprehended later by the Morgantown police, who were acting on information provided to them by Maryland State Police that the defendant had gone to a friend's house on Beechurst Avenue in Morgantown.

The Morgantown police took Fletcher back to his car, where he was charged by LeMay with speeding, negligent driving, reckless driving, and fleeing and eluding, as well as assault, according to police.

LeMay said Fletcher admitted he made a mistake, and that he had given no other reason for his actions.

"I was pleased to see everyone get involved. Even the citizens of the area helped to track him down," LeMay said. "It's really great to see cooperation between the counties."

Fletcher is currently incarcerated in the Monongalia County Jail awaiting

## \$1M Allocated

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acy areas were allocated funding. This year's Rural Legacy appropriation is nearly twice the allocation for FY '06, which will permanently protect 4,535 acres of Maryland's landscape from development, according to the Department of Natural Resources, which oversees the program.

"The Rural Legacy Program is exceptional because it allows local governments and non-profits to identify and plan for preservation at the local level, through a grassroots process," said Ehrlich. "This community-up approach also supports more efficient and effective state government, allowing us to preserve more land and make Maryland a greener, better place to live."

The decision process for Rural Legacy grants includes review by the 11-member Rural Legacy Advisory Committee and the Rural Legacy Board, which comprises Maryland's agriculture, natural resources, and planning secretaries.

Currently, one in every five acres in Maryland is permanently protected, according to the DNR.



## Community, Recreation, Outreach, Winners

### Friday, Sept 22

#### Let's Go Birding

Discover local breeding birds with one of the county's avid birders. 8 am, Deep Creek Lake Discovery Center. Contact 301-387-7067.

#### Harvest Sale

Enjoy the Swan Meadow School Harvest Sale at Pleasant Valley Community Center, Joni Miller Rd. 5:30 pm. Concessions, music, Auction 7 pm.

### Friday, Saturday, Sunday

#### Strut Your Stuff Car Show

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#### Kitzmiller Block Party

Join the community for a Back to School block party Near the Community Building in Kitzmiller from 6 to 10 p.m. Contact 301-453-3178

### Saturday, Sept 23

#### Park Activities

Walk through black bear habitat at 10:30 am or learn about poisonous snakes and others at 1:30 pm at Deep Creek Lake Discovery Center.

Contact 301-387-7067. Also check out activities at our other local parks.

#### What would you like to CROW about?

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## Win-Win-Win?...

The derogatory, inflammatory words expressed yesterday at the United Nations by the likes of Iranian president Mahmoud Ahmadinejad and Venezuelan president Hugo Chavez make our connections with their nations as an oil customer all the more irritating. They have the United States somewhat over a barrel, as we so unfortunately continue to depend on them for a substantial part of our nation's petroleum needs.

Therefore, the best way to end that relationship, obviously, is to make it possible to depend less on foreign oil supplies. Just about every elected official in the country agrees with that, but we now have the opportunity to do something that will not only make us less dependent, but will also yield several other major benefits.

We have the technology and are now producing hybrid automobiles. The vehicles are still pretty expensive for most of us, but there is currently a \$3,000 tax credit awarded to those who purchase a hybrid. More and more of them are slowly appearing on our roadways, each getting between 50 and 60 miles per gallon of gasoline.

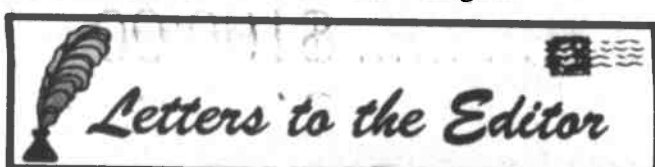
Why not immediately increase that credit five-fold to \$15,000? Such a financial incentive would dramatically and rapidly increase the sale of these vehicles. There would be an almost immediate shortage of them, which should spark an enormous surge in their production by all of our major automakers, most of whom are in rather dire financial straits right now. The proposed layoffs in the industry would be immediately averted, and thousands of new jobs would be created.

Our gasoline usage would fall in likewise dramatic fashion, possibly far enough to virtually end our dependence on foreign oil, or at least dependence on oil purchases from nations hostile to the U.S.

The use of hybrids rather than vehicles with conventional gasoline engines would also have a significantly positive impact on the environment.

Yes, such a tax credit would be expensive for the federal government, but it has great potential of being an exceedingly wise investment. The rising cost of oil always does a number on our stock market, for example, causing billions of dollars in losses. Higher prices at the pump hurt our economy, causing less spending on other things by the consumer. Less dependence on foreign oil, then, would bolster the market and our overall economy, turning huge losses into huge gains. The feds don't bat an eye now at spending billions of dollars on many other "projects," including the war against terrorism. Reducing our dependence on foreign oil would also likely be a positive step in that war.

This seems like a fairly simple solution, but one that would be a win-win-win proposition. How about it, Mr. President and U.S. Congress?



To the Editor:

This letter is two-fold. First, I want to thank the Republican voters for their support in re-electing me to the Central Committee. This summer I got hit with some unexpected health problems. I tried to fill my obligations by seeing that key precincts had a chairman and people to make calls for the Republican Party. We are fortunate here in Garrett County to have such a field of qualified leaders.

Finally, the primary election is over and yesterday, as I am recuperating from major surgery, I received a call. It was the governor! He said, "Ruth Umbel, I heard you were recuperating from surgery." He said he and Kendel wished me a speedy recovery and he thanked me for all I do for the Republican Party.

People, that's the kind of governor we have — one who takes five minutes out of his busy schedule to care about someone.

Ruth Hinebaugh Umbel

To the Editor:

We are writing this on behalf of the Northern Husky football team to ask for a donation toward the purchase of football helmets.

We believe the best way to start is to tell you why we want the helmets. First and foremost is the safety of our players. They play bigger teams every year and these boys give everything they have on the field. They deserve the best protection money can buy.

The Schutt DNA is a helmet that offers that protection. The new skydex double padding is more durable and absorbs more of the impact in helmet-to-helmet contact. The shape also allows for this contact with less injury. There aren't any helmets made that will prevent or eliminate all injury, but this one will provide more protection to decrease the number of injuries.

We, the parents, friends, and football fans, need to raise the money. Garrett County has limited resources for such equipment. We need for the community

to help us with this purchase. Please help us protect our young football players by making a donation. Checks should be made out to Northern High School. All help will be greatly appreciated. Donations are needed by Sept. 29.

Thank you once again for your help. Please contact us, Nancy Fratz at 301-616-7093 or 301-387-8739, or Susan Durst at 301-895-5216, for more information.

Sincerely,  
Nancy Fratz  
Susan Durst  
Helmet Committee

To the Editor:

I want to thank the voters of Garrett County and Allegany County who supported by campaign. Although I was not successful, I do believe there was success in bringing to the fore poignant issues about our county. The waste of money and land use in building a Wal-Mart bypass through Oakland when there are other alternatives to be considered for an honest proposal, Rt. 495 through state-owned land for the most part. There needs to be a traffic pattern from Rt. 219 to Rt. 135 and the Southern Industrial Park, but not as this ill design.

The proposal to replace the Garrett County Roads Department garages with a 92-bed jailhouse on North Rt. 219 would be an unwelcome mat to visitors coming into Oakland. This again is an issue that I raised during the campaign, and it continues to be and expensive waste of money and land use.

Very truly yours,  
DeCorsey Bolden

To the Editor:

With news about the e-coli outbreak we can be even more thankful for our local family farms. With the benefit of rain-fed fields and personal care, we know our produce is healthy as well as tasty. Thank you to all the farmers who till the ground and coax our food from the soil. It is backbreaking work with modest financial reward. You deserve the thanks and the support of us all.



To the Editor:

I would like to thank everyone who voted in the September 12 primary. I would also like to thank everyone who supported my campaign for the Republican Central Committee. I appreciate your votes. I would also like to ask everyone who can vote to vote in the November 7 General election.

Ed Clemons Jr.  
Mtn. Lake Park

To the Editor:

I have had a private school in Garrett County for the last 20 years, working with the public school system, even having guidance counselors referring students to attend Pleasant Valley Christian Academy because they know too that there should be alternative education.

Many students who have graduated from P.V.C.A. have become nurses, teachers, ministers, etc. Never once has a college denied any of our graduates acceptance.

Obstacles? Oh yes, I have encountered battles from some schools who do not know our constitution or that just take and make their own rules without following our laws.

According to the Perkins Act, Law 98-524, I quote: "It is mandated that notice be given to all private schools that Garrett County students enrolled in private schools are eligible to enroll in vocational courses offered by the Garrett County Board of Education."

Southern High School principal Mr. Woods and Mr. Lear, the vocational education supervisor, are denying this. I cannot see, if they care about a child receiving as much education as they want — and our school is unable to offer these classes, how are they standing against the "no child left behind" policy.

In the '90s I had no problem with students attending Southern, taking vocational classes. My son took driver's ed. through public school and graduated through P.V.C.A. I want an explanation on what is going on, and I will do all I can to see that our school system does treat every student (whose parents are tax payers) fairly.

Sincerely,  
Ella May Martin  
Supervisor (P.V.C.A.)

To the Editor:

I was disturbed to read that the FluMist program will be administered to elementary school students in Garrett County this year. Your story promotes mostly positive aspects of this program, while not highlighting one very important negative consequence — the fact that individuals who receive the FluMist vaccine can transmit the live flu virus to others.

Mr. Giotfelty states, "School-based immunization can also protect other family members and reduce influenza in the community at large." Perhaps this is true of the injectable influenza vaccine, but MedImmune's own literature states, "Due to the possible transmission of the vaccine virus, FluMist recipients should avoid being in close (for example, within the same household) contact with immunocompromised individuals for 3 weeks following vaccination."

Parents should be aware that children who receive this vaccine can transmit the virus to others in their household. Parents who choose not to vaccinate for the flu should be aware that their children will be in proximity to a large number of children that are potentially contagious should Mr. Giotfelty reach his goal of administering the vaccine to 50% of the students. I hope that there is a plan in place to protect the immunocom-

promised students in the school system.

Parents can read the FluMist patient information brochure online at <http://www.flumist.com/pdf/patientinfo.pdf>

Becky Sciuillo  
Pittsburgh

Dear Ms. Sciuillo:

In order to avert varying levels of panic among our readers (particularly those parents with children in our elementary schools), and because we are a weekly newspaper, we took it upon ourselves to share your letter with local health officials before publishing it so they would have an opportunity to respond before next week's issue. That response follows this note.

Editor

To the Editor:

First we commend Ms. Sciuillo on her concern for the safety of the children of Garrett County. We understand her unease about the vaccine and its possible effect on immunocompromised students. She is correct in her reading of the package insert approved by the FDA three years ago, based on research and experience available at that time. However, the latest recommendations from the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) state that only those people who are in contact with others with severely weakened immune systems, such as people with recent bone marrow transplants, should not get the FluMist vaccine. It goes on to say that contacts with lesser degrees of immunosuppression, such as people with cancer or people infected with HIV, can get the vaccine without adverse consequences.

According to CDC, in clinical studies, transmission of vaccine viruses to close contacts has been uncommon, and not harmful. Because the viruses used in the vaccine are modified (weakened by genetic changes to greatly reduce infectivity and disease-causing capability), infection is unlikely to result in influenza illness symptoms. The vaccine is similar to other childhood vaccines which are also modified live viruses, such as those for measles, mumps, and chicken pox, where the modified virus in the vaccine causes the body to develop antibodies which protect a child from the wild virus.

There are definite precautions against children with certain medical conditions getting the nasal spray vaccination. The consent form filled out by the parent identifies those situations. If there are any questions about the safety of the vaccine for a particular child or his/her family, that child will not be given the vaccine. However, almost all such children with conditions making them ineligible to receive the nasal spray vaccine should be receiving the injectable influenza vaccine each year.

The choice is up to the parent. This is a voluntary program. However, studies done both before and after it was licensed for use in 2003 have shown that FluMist is a safe, very effective, alternative to the injectable flu vaccine. It is a good way to protect children from the sometimes serious effects of the flu, without the trauma of getting a shot.

We have set up a hotline for parents to call if they have questions about the vaccine. They can call 301-334-7698, or they can log onto our web site at [www.garretthealth.org](http://www.garretthealth.org) for the latest information.

William W. Pope, M.D.  
M.P.H.  
Deputy Health Officer  
Rodney Giotfelty, R.S.  
M.P.H.  
Garrett County Health Officer

To the Editor:

I would like to comment on your editorial of 9/14/2006. Being one who is admittedly obsessive compulsive about elections and voting, I have not missed voting in a primary or general election since age 18. I am in agreement with your disappointment in the recent election turnout. I am not in agreement with your conclusion about eliminating the election of certain

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## Community Calendar

### MEETINGS

The Mountain Top Photography Club will meet Thursday, Sept. 28, at 7 p.m. at the Mountain Glade Adult Day Care Services building, located at 375 Pythian Avenue, directly behind Garrett County Memorial Hospital, Oakland. All those interested in photography are welcome, regardless of experience level. For more information, persons may call Ed Sipes at 301-387-8021.

The Beacon, a peer outreach and support service for individuals with mental illness, meets every Friday at Harvey House, from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m.

The TOPS Club Chapter 379 meets Monday evenings

## Senior Citizens' Menus

Community Action's Area Agency on Aging Senior Nutrition Program menus for the week of September 25-29 are as follows:

Monday — Cole slaw, baked chicken, sweet potatoes, steamed spinach, banana, corn bread, milk.

Tuesday — Pineapple Waldorf salad, breaded pork chop, brown rice w/K. beans, broccoli, kiwi, roll, milk.

Wednesday — Sliced cucumbers w/low fat ranch dressing, liver and onions, noodles, California blend vegs., whole wheat bread, fruited jello, milk.

Thursday — Beet and onion salad, hearty corn chili w/beans, saltines, cottage cheese & peaches, apple pie, milk.

Friday — Apple juice, salad bar, Mandarin oranges, pepperoni pizza, cake, milk.

Coffee or tea served with all meals.

Reservations for meals are required. Meal reservations and cancellations are to be made at the nutrition site or senior center prior to the next service day. Reservations or cancellations may be made no later than 9 a.m. on the service day if absolutely necessary. Individuals who are able to give the full cost of the meal are encouraged to do so; however, all contributions are welcome. Days of congregating meals and telephone numbers of individual sites follow: Grantsville Senior Center, Grantsville, Tu, W & Th, 301-895-5818; Kitzmiller Community Building, Kitzmiller, W, Th & F, 301-453-3445; Mary Browning Senior Center, Oakland, M, W & F, 301-334-9431, ext. 134; Old Mill Restaurant, Gorman, Tu, Th & Sa, 301-334-4865; Swanton Community Building, Swanton, M & Tu, 301-387-9191; Friendsville Community Building, Friendsville, M, Tu & W, 301-746-5300.

Please note that home-delivered meal clients receive the same menus.

For more information about the Senior Nutrition Program, persons may call 301-334-9431, ext. 137.

## Posted Note

By Mary Sincell McEwen

### 2006, A FLORIDA ODYSSEY Conclusion

Oh, how I hate that last day of vacation. Everyone is tired, everyone is cranky, and everyone has to tolerate my neurosis involving getting to the airport so we have plenty of time — half a day if necessary — to sit at the gate and stare at the Lady of the Desk, wondering if she's ever going to let us on the plane. 'Twas the end of a fine week, the McEwen Family's Florida Funfest '06, and I dreaded the whole logistical nightmare of finding the airport, figuring out where to drop off the rental car, getting all our luggage together, and then going through that process of shoe-removal and pocket-emptying and possible suitcase opening. All of it makes me the following: queasy, crabby, sweaty, shaky, testy, and — oh, yeah — queasy.

We made our way to the airport by following my niece Sara, who graciously arose from bed very early to come to the hotel and relieve us of the rest of the breakfast food, and also take into temporary custody two souvenir swords the boys bought without considering that they would not fit in their suitcases. (She kindly delivered them, unscathed, two weeks later at our family reunion.) Sara knows Orlando quite well and so could usher us to our destination. You'd think that would be enough for me, wouldn't you? But no. I worried, I fretted. Would we get there in time? Where does this car go? How do we get from there to there to there? At that point, John gently suggested that perhaps the next time we travel, I could ask Dr. Schwalm to prescribe something for me. Or several things. And you know, I think I'll do that.

We arrived, the car drop-off was simple, and it wasn't too far of a jaunt to our proper gate. "Ha, ha," we laughed, "remember a week ago when our flight was canceled? Ho, ho, that was not very funny at the time, but now, now that everything is on track for our way home, it all seems very madcap and silly. Thank heavens everything will be A-OK today." Yes. Right. So much for that. As we walked into the gate area, we heard the lady saying that our flight was going to be at least 90 minutes late, as it was experiencing "mechanical problems" (always comforting). And of course, our connecting flight (we were going to Miami first, then D.C.) would be leaving in, oh, about 75 minutes. Wonderful. Here we go again.

So we wandered around the airport, marveling at the price of things in the gift shops, eating sweet rolls the size of our heads at the food court, and finally just sitting at the gate and staring at the TV showing CNN, getting depressed by the world situation. I would've much rather watched an *Andy Griffith* rerun. No one needs to be seeing death and destruction right before she gets on a stinkin' airplane.

So at last the plane arrived, and we got on, hoping it wasn't still busted. This was the one and only flight that we actually all sat together, across a row, because it was the only one that wasn't changed on us, even though it was an hour and a half late. And who else got on that beast with us? "Oh, no — the Pink Backpacks! You've got to be kidding me — the Brazilians and their cheers? On the plane? They'll tip it with their noise!" And it was true, they were on our plane. A gaggle of cheer-prone girls, all wandering around to talk to each other, clogging up the aisles, not listening to the flight attendants telling them to sit down, tossing things to each other... AGGH! But thankfully, when the plane finally started its taxi, they did sit down and there were no cheers. Maybe they were cheered out. Whew.

So we made it to Miami, hoping against hope that our connecting flight might have been delayed, too. Of course not. There's no ease to returning home. What was I thinking? By the time we had hoofed it across that huge airport, our flight was gone. We explained our problem and were booked on the next flight to D.C., but of course we were again scattered all over the cabin. I talked with the Lady of the Desk about that, and she very sternly said that we would avoid being seated higgledy piggledy if we would book our flights earlier, and I laughingly told her they were booked in April, thank you, and she backed down. But said she was powerless to seat us together. So there we were again, facing another begging scene with the other passengers. Great grief.

Penned up at the gate, the boys engaged in their regular punching, pinching, giggling, and downright annoying behavior, and me, being still in my "will we ever get home, I need a pill" state of mind, was not handling it well. One of them burped, as they are so prone to do, and I said, "What do you say?" Michael, chastened, said "excuse me." His nearly 15-year-old brother Robert: "Nah — I say, better out than in." And they all laugh like idiots. Boys.

So at last we take off, with the boys together, but several rows up from John and me, which actually was okay. The flight was uneventful, and at last we landed in DC (after, I swear, nearly lopping off the point of the Washington Monument). My sister Kathryn was there to greet us, but our luggage, alas, was not. Not one of our four large bags came around on the conveyer, even though we waited for a very long time. So we hung around, went out for Chinese food with Kathryn and her husband, and hung around more, with the hour growing later and later. At last we left, luggage-less, and spent the night at Kath's in Clear Spring. This was a perk, as she is a gourmet cook, and gleefully served us these incredible wine-berry scones the next morning. So all was not lost.

We dragged back to Oakland a mere 16 hours later than planned, and our luggage didn't show up for two more days. Will we ever have an easy route to and/or from vacation? That is a question yet unanswered...

But we made it, had a lovely time, and look forward to our next adventure, no matter how hard it may be to get there and back again. Thanks for reading!

at Mtn. Glade Day Care Center, Pythian St., Oakland. Weigh-in is at 5:30, with the meeting immediately following. New members are welcome.

Alcoholics Anonymous meets every Saturday and Sunday at 10 a.m., Monday at 6 p.m. and 8 p.m., and Sunday, Monday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday at 8 p.m. and Wednesday at noon and Tuesday evening at 7:30 p.m., at The Liberty Club, 125 Liberty St., Oakland; Thursday at 6 p.m. at St. Peter's Catholic Church, Fourth St., Oakland. The McHenry chapter

of AA meets Tuesdays at 8 p.m. at the Deep Creek Baptist Church along Rt. 219 across from Uno's.

Al-Anon Family Group meets at 125 Liberty Club, Oakland (use side entrance), every Monday at 8 p.m.

Narcotics Anonymous (NA) meets every Wednesday at 8 p.m. at the 125 Liberty Club along Liberty St., Oakland, 301-334-1250.

MISCELLANEOUS A benefit dance will be held on Saturday, Sept. 30, at the Blue Star Bar and Grill in Hazelton, W.Va., for Kelvin Fearer, who is battling esophageal cancer.

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Floyd Cowger. The dance, sponsored by the Blue Star Dacron Dahlings Red Hat Society, will be held from 8:30 until 11:30 p.m. Blue Star is located off Exit 9 toward Big Bear Lake. The phone number is 304-379-1917. Donations may also be made at any First United Bank and Trust or mailed to the Kelvin Fearer Cancer Fund, c/o First United Bank and Trust, P.O. Box 126, McHenry, MD 21541.

The Canaan Valley Woman's Club of Davis, W.Va., will hold its 10th annual craft show on Saturday, Sept. 23, at the Canaan Valley fire hall from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. The hall is located along Rt. 32 seven miles south of Davis.

Garrett County Community Action Committee Inc. will host Asset Builders workshops to prepare students for life after high school. These workshops are free of charge. They will be held from 6 until 7 p.m. at the Mary Browning Center in Oakland on Wednesday, Oct. 4; Wednesday, Oct. 11; and Wednesday, Oct. 18. For more information persons may call Cindy Lynch at 301-334-9431, ext. 108, by Oct. 2 for reservations.

### CHURCH

Gortner Union Church will hold renewal meetings with John Moyers on Friday and Saturday, Sept. 29-30, at 7 p.m., and Sunday, Oct. 1 at 10:30 a.m. Love Feast and communion will also be held Sunday at 6:30 p.m. The public is welcome.

Maple Spring Church of the Brethren, Eglen, W.Va., will hold a buckwheat cake and sausage dinner on Saturday, Sept. 23, from 4 until 8 p.m. The cost is \$6 for adults, \$4 for ages 5 to 10, and free for those under 5.

### THEATER

Auditions for *A Christmas Carol* will be held at Our Town Theatre on Sunday, Sept. 24, 2-5 p.m. and Monday, Sept. 25, 7-9 p.m. There are 25 parts for actors ages 8 through 80 (only a few very young children will be cast). Performances are scheduled for November 15-19, 2006. For information, persons may call 301-334-5640.

### REUNIONS

Plans are being made for the 6th Swanton School reunion, set for Saturday, Sept. 16, at the Swanton Community Center, the former Swanton School. A covered dish meal is planned for noon at the pavilion. All former students, teachers, employees, and their families are invited. Persons with questions or ideas may call Amelia Wolf at 301-334-3077 or Audrey Friend at 301-387-9523.



## "Barney Fife" (Dave Browning) To Be Festival Parade Marshal

David Browning, known as the "Mayberry Deputy," will be the Grand Marshal for the Autumn Glory Parade Saturday, Oct. 14, in Oakland.

Browning brought his act to the Fireman's Parade last year. He was so popular, officials asked him to return for the Autumn Glory weekend. As Grand Marshal, he will lead Saturday's parade.

"It seemed fitting to remember the late Don Knotts, who brought Barney Fife to life in 'The Andy Griffith Show,'" said Oakland Mayor Asa McCain. Knotts was born in Morgantown and graduated from West Virginia University. Browning captures his humor and "home-town" personality in his performances as the Mayberry Deputy.

He has been playing the role since 1988. In the 1980s, Browning was asked by "The Andy Griffith Show" Rerun Watchers Club (TAGSRWC) to perform at a Mayberry Reunion held at Opryland in Nashville. TAGSRWC founder Jim Clark saw Browning's act and began mentioning his name across the country. Browning has been embraced as the Mayberry Deputy by small and

large groups in 35 states, with continued referrals.

"He is a multifaceted entertainer whose improvisation talent and characterizations allow for flexibility and programs tailored for each setting," said one critic. His background includes free-lance voice and acting, theatre direction, management, and tourism development. For more information about Browning, persons can go to web site: [www.Mayberry.com/maydeputy](http://www.Mayberry.com/maydeputy).

Browning also will be walking around the streets of Oakland on Friday and will visit several nursing homes.

The Autumn Glory Grand Feature Parade will begin at 1 p.m. The parade features more than 100 units, including bands, marching units, clowns, and many unique floats designed and decorated by local clubs and organizations.

The parade is presented by the Garrett County Chamber of Commerce, with sponsorship from First United Bank & Trust.

For more information, persons may call 301-387-4386 or go to [www.visit-deepcreek.com](http://www.visit-deepcreek.com).

## Bay Foundation Issues Plan To Reduce Chesapeake Bay Pollution

by David J. Silverman  
Capital News Service

The Chesapeake Bay Foundation on Tuesday urged legislators to increase environmental funding and develop innovative tax policies over the next four years to help Maryland meet its clean water requirements, warning that Maryland has only gone halfway toward reaching a pollution reduction goal it set in 2000.

The proposals were part of a four-point plan the foundation contends will enable the state to uphold its promise of reducing by 20 million pounds the amount of nitrogen pollution that flows into the bay each year by 2010.

"The bay has been crying out for help—beach closures, dead zones, and widespread reports of sick or dying fish," said Kim Coble, executive director of CBF Maryland. "The leaders elected this fall have a choice: lead us toward better water quality, or accept failure."

The state's commitments stem from the Chesapeake 2000 Agreement, where Maryland teamed up with the federal government, Pennsylvania, Virginia and Washington, D.C. to curb bay pollution.

According to the foundation, current nitrogen reductions have fallen 10.25 million pounds per year short with only four years remaining.

While the foundation notes that Maryland has outpaced Pennsylvania and Virginia in achieving its goal, it says additional nitrogen-reducing measures are urgent.

"Those who are elected this fall will be accountable to reach the deadline and the goals of the Chesapeake 2000 Agreement," said William C. Baker, president of the foundation. "It will be their choice as to whether this Chesapeake Bay program will be a model of success or failure."

But the Ehrlich administration, which supported

the Chesapeake Bay Restoration Act that has reduced nitrogen by more than a third of the 2010 goal, is reluctant to promise that Maryland will reach the 20 million pound goal if Gov. Robert L. Ehrlich is re-elected.

"It's a noble but very lofty goal," said Henry P. Fawell, an Ehrlich spokesman. "It will be difficult but the governor remains intent on moving forward to meet those goals."

Rick Abbruzzese, an O'Malley campaign spokesman, said O'Malley would propose an inter-state fund for all participants in the 2000 agreement.

"Certainly we need to do a better job than we're currently doing, and whether we get to twenty million, it's important that we adopt very high goals and work hard to meet them," he said.

The foundation wants the state to establish a state fund to sustain long-term water quality improvements. It recommends raising money by increasing the Chesapeake Bay Bridge toll and fees for vehicle emissions inspections and land-fill tipping.

The plan also presses legislators to reward farmers who use good environmental techniques on their farms transferable tax credits. Such credits, they say, have already been implemented successfully in Pennsylvania and Virginia, and will make farming more economically viable in the face of soaring production costs and increased pressure from urban sprawl.

The prescription, however, includes two steps that are not likely to incur large costs to the state.

For one, the foundation is asking the Maryland Department of Environment to require water quality improvements in the storm water runoff permits it issues. Storm water runoff accounts for about 11 percent of the nitrogen currently released into the bay, according to Coble.

The foundation's plan would divide the state into five jurisdictions, each having the authority to approve or disapprove of large development projects within its region.

Controversial development projects like the one near the Eastern Shore's Blackwater National Wildlife Refuge have been decided mainly by local governments. But CBF officials say major developments have consequences that extend beyond the immediate areas. In addition, they say local governments do not have the resources to investigate and make informed judgments.

The larger jurisdictions will create a situation where "state funds and local funds can be pooled to give them the resources to really do the job of assessing and making decisions," Baker said.

Baker says Maryland can reach its goals by 2010 if measures such as those in the foundation's report are implemented.

"It's a rather simple approach, but it will have enormous potential over the next four years," he said.

## Letters

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positions from the elective process. Some are willing to give up their vote, and you may be willing to have cer-

tain leaders picked for you, but I am not so willing.

Let us consider the positions of clerk of court and register of wills positions held by Dave Martin and Joe DiSimone. Both of these fine men at least one time in their career faced competitive election. These competitive races gave us these fine men, not appointments. Both Mr. Martin and Mr. DiSimone execute their duties admirably, but I ask you, do you not suspect on a difficult day, with a difficult citizen, they do not draw in an extra measure of patience, knowing that person could vote or run against him in the next election?

Additional example of the need for an elected office is the supervisor of assessments "which is not an elected position." The person who holds the position of Supervisor of Assessment in Garrett County, is in my opinion, consumed with a culture of arrogance. He has little concern for the needs of the taxpaying citizens of Garrett County. The position should be an elected position as it is in West Virginia. Property taxation in Maryland is as close as one can get to taxation without representation. I want the likes of a Dave Martin and a Joe DiSimone as assessor.

Give up the right to elect our leaders? No, give me more elected offices.

Sincerely,  
Ronel R. Williams, D.C.

To the Editor:  
The results are final: the 2006 edition of the Deep

Creek Lake Art and Wine Festival is a winner again!

More than 1,300 attendees voted with their feet as they attended the event at the Garrett County Fairgrounds on Saturday, Sept. 9, when it became clear to the hundreds of volunteers that their labors had again yielded sweet and plentiful fruit. Festival patrons were treated to a wide variety of wineries offering their products to taste and to purchase, outstanding entertainment, and the most gorgeous weather anyone could have asked for!

The proceeds from this event are donated to the Western Potomac Chapter American Red Cross for use in programs in Garrett County, so the real winners are the people who live here. They are the ones who will benefit from the services we provide, like local disaster relief, blood collections, communications with members of the military deployed throughout the world, and training in the life-saving skills of CPR, first aid, and water safety. Red Cross chapters must raise 100% of the money used to fund programs in their jurisdictions, so all of the money generated by the wine festival will be returned to the county to help those in greatest need.

Hundreds of people were involved in making this event such a resounding success. We would like to recognize the event planning committee, the sponsors, the volunteers, the participating businesses.

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and, of course, our paid attendees — all of whom were instrumental in making this event a reality.

On behalf of the thousands who will be touched by area Red Cross services this year, we say thank you for supporting this community endeavor and creating such a wonderful event in our part of the world!

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To the Editor:

In April 2005, the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Administration (SAMHSA) released a Request for Application titled "Mental Health Transformation State Incentive Grant." Building on the federal New Freedom Commission for Mental Health Report, "Achieving the Promise: Transforming Mental Health Care in America," this infrastructure grant is to be used to support the cross systems approach to implement a strategic planning process comprised of four key activities: (1) Convening a Transformation Working Group; (2) Conducting a thorough needs assessment of each organization; (3) Producing a thorough resource inventory of each organization; and (4) Developing a comprehensive mental health plan to transform the system.

Maryland is one of seven states to receive the 5-year,

13.5-million-dollar "Mental Health Transformation Incentive Grant." With this grant we have an opportunity to make deep and lasting changes in the way services are delivered in Maryland. It brings together all the different agencies in the state that provide services to persons with mental illness, including Departments of Aging, Public Safety and Corrections, Human Resources, Disabilities, Education, Housing and Community Development, Juvenile Services, and Health and Mental Hygiene.

The goal is to develop a system that is coordinated, efficient, and comprehensive. It also includes family and consumer organizations to work with cabinet secretaries and the governor's office to develop a transformation plan. Input will be collected from other interested agencies and stakeholders' groups throughout the initiative. The proposal also features increased use of outcome measurement, evidence-based practices, and a recovery-focused approach to service.

Denise Sulzbach of the Maryland Mental Hygiene Administration and project director of the Mental Health Transformation Grant will speak on "The Transformation of Maryland's Public Mental Health System" at Mental Illness Awareness Week Candlelight Celebration on Thursday, Oct. 5. The event will be held at the Salvation Army Gym, 701 E. First Street, Cumberland, from 6 to 9 p.m. Other speakers

include David Washington, Washington County Health Department, on the TAMAR (Trauma-Addiction-Mental Health and Recovery) program, Robert Sinclair on "Empowerment," and Lt. Rhonda Downton from Allegany County Sheriff's Department on "Building Community — Taking Action," which is the theme for the event. Snacks will be served and there will be a candlelight walk to commemorate the mentally ill. Anyone who is interested in the transformation of the Public Mental Health System (PMHS) is urged to attend. For more information, call 301-724-0091 or 301-689-2133 or the Allegany County Mental Health Systems Office at 301-759-5070.

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## OBITUARIES

**BOWMAN, Anna J.**, 77, Salisbury, Pa.

**COVIELLO, Anthony J.**, South Easton, Mass.

**ANAGAN, Gaye, 67**, W.Va.

**June B., 82**, Creek Lake.

**JOHNSON, Paul M.**, 60, Grantsville.

**LICKLITER, Frances T.**, 91, Mtn. Lake Park.

**MERRILL, William H.**, 90, Salisbury, Pa.

**O'NEAL, Janet M.**, 70, Stafford, Va.

**ORTLIP, Helen L.**, 64, Friendsville.

**ROBESON, Linda B.**, 61, Frostburg (Garrett County).

**ROY, Opal J.**, 91, Terra Alta, W.Va.

**SCHAUMBURG, Judith S.**, 54, Perry Hall.

**SCHUMAKER, Katherine**, 86, Grantsville.

**SIMMONS, Sondra L.**, 65, Grantsville.

**SMILEY, Betty K.**, 82, Westport.

**TREVORROW, Donald E.**, 82, Morgantown, W.Va.

**WILLIAM H. MERRILL**, William Henry Merrill, 90, Salisbury, Pa., died Friday, Sept. 15, 2006, at Sacred Heart Hospital, Cumberland.

Born Aug. 11, 1916, in Avilton, he was the son of the late Jesse and Minnie (Pope) Merrill. He was also preceded in death by his first wife, Bernice (Beachy) Merrill.

He was a member of Cherry Grove Church of the Brethren. He was a retired dairy farmer and also was a school bus driver for 30 years. He was a member of Garrett County Farm Bureau.

Surviving are his wife, Ruth (Hoffman) Broadwater Merrill; one son, Lowell Merrill, Grantsville; one daughter, Dixie Northam, Del.; one stepson, Broadwater, Essex; sisters, Mary Durst, burg, and June Shull, burg; five grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; three step-grandchildren; and one step-great-grandchild.

Friends were received at the Newman Funeral Home, Grantsville.

A service was conducted on Monday, Sept. 18, at Cherry Grove Church of the Brethren, with the Rev. Tom Wegman officiating.

Interment was in Grantsville Cemetery.

Expressions of sympathy may be directed to Cherry Grove Church of the Brethren.

## ANTHONY J. COVIELLO

Anthony J. Coviello, 84, South Easton, Mass., died Thursday, Aug. 24, 2006.

Born in Clearfield, Pa., in 1922, he was an Army veteran of World War II, and worked for many years for the Long Island Railroad.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Louise Coviello, in 2004.

Surviving are one son, Anthony Coviello Jr. of Leesburg, Va.; two daughters, Linda Paolucci of South Easton, and Joanne Lacina of Miami, Fla.; five grandchildren; four sisters; and one brother, Albert A. Coviello, formerly of Mtn. Lake Park.

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## PAUL M. JOHNSON

Paul Merrill Johnson, 66, of the Goodwill Retirement Community in Grantsville died Thursday, Sept. 14, 2006, at the Sacred Heart Hospital in Cumberland.

Born May 14, 1940, in Brooklyn, N.Y., he was a son of the late Merrill and Margaret (McMahon) Johnson.

He is survived by one brother, Carl Johnson, Silver Spring.

Friends were received at the Burdock-Durst Funeral Home, Oakland, where a service was held on Sunday, Sept. 17, with the Rev. Dr. T. Patrick Kerr officiating.

Interment was in Oak Grove Cemetery, Oakland.

He is survived by one brother, Carl Johnson, Silver Spring.

Friends were received at the Burdock-Durst Funeral Home, Oakland, where a service was held on Sunday, Sept. 17, with the Rev. Dr. T. Patrick Kerr officiating.

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## LINDA B. ROBESON

Linda Bernadette Robeson, 61, Frostburg (Garrett County), died Wednesday, Sept. 20, 2006, at her home.

Born March 20, 1945, in Frostburg, she was a daughter of the late William E. and Schrilla (Glotfelty) Miller. She was also preceded in death by one brother, Warren E. Miller.

Mrs. Robeson was a member of St. Ann's Catholic Church, Grantsville. She retired in 1995 as a self-employed beautician and cosmetologist, operating Linda's Beauty Shop. She was a graduate of Tri-State Beauty School and also was the bookkeeper for Grantsville Auto Supply and Southern Auto Supply.

She is survived by her husband, H. Darwin Robeson; one son, Michael D. Robeson and fiancée Julie, Frostburg; one daughter, Julie Tilton and husband Robert, Moon Township, Pa.; one brother, William L. Miller, Grantsville; one sister, Ruby Margroff, Accident; and two grandsons, Ian and Aaron Tilton.

Friends will be received at the Newman Funeral Home, Grantsville, on Friday, Sept. 22, from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Saturday at 10 a.m. at St. Ann's Catholic Church, with the Rev. James Hanon officiating.

Interment will be in Grantsville Cemetery.

Palbearers will be Aaron Miller, Roy Miller, Russell Miller, Stephen Zumpano, Philip Margroff, Matthew Margroff, and Chad King.

Expressions of sympathy may be directed to the Avilton Community Association. Condolences may be sent to the family at www.newmanfuneralhomes.com. (Paid Obituary)

**BETTY K. SMILEY**, Betty Katherine Smiley, 82, Westernport, died Thursday, Sept. 14, 2006, at Potomac Valley Hospital, Keyser, W.Va.

Born May 29, 1924, in Mill Run, she was a daughter of the late Raymond and Marie (Cornell) Michaels. She was also preceded in death by four brothers, Little Richard Michaels, Russell Michaels, Daniel Michaels, and Jimmy Michaels; and three sisters, Lorraine Smith, Lola Brash, and Alfreda Johnson.

She was a homemaker and a member of First Assembly of God Church, Westport.

Surviving are her husband, William "Mack" Smiley; one son, William Smiley, Backbone Mountain; three daughters, Betty Ann Bean, Keyser, W.Va., Kathy Bray, Rawlings, and Vickie White, Keyser; two brothers, Leroy Michaels, Pekin, and Wilson Michaels, Barton; two sisters, Dorothy Beavers, Westport, and Peggy Ann Paugh, Friendsville; four grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Friends were received at the Boal Funeral Home, Westport, where a service was held on Sunday, Sept. 24, with the Rev. Greg Hammond officiating.

Interment was in Potomac Memorial Gardens, Keyser.

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## SONDRA L. SIMMONS

Sondra Lee (Ricketts) Simmons, 65, Grantsville, died Monday, Sept. 18, 2006, at her home.

Born Sept. 9, 1941, in Kentucky, she was the daughter of the late Betty T. March and James Ricketts. She was also preceded in death by a loving stepfather, Alfred March, and her brother-in-law, Bobby Simmons. She was reared in Bethesda by her loving aunt and uncle, the late Sadie and Burton Ricketts.

She is survived by her loving husband, Michael A. Simmons. She loved her stepchildren, Timothy Simmons and wife Tracy, Accident, Margaret Riden and husband Joe, Delray, W.Va., and Mary (Betsy) Barnes and husband Jeff, Joppa. The lights of her life were her step-grandchildren, Patrick and Jennifer Grant, Shelby and Brittany Simmons, Samantha and Taylor Barnes, and Brandon and Amanda Riden, who brought her more joy in their short lives than she could ever let them know.

She is also survived by a special niece, Shannon Simmons, a special nephew, Michael Simmons, and numerous other nieces and nephews she did not get to spend much time with, but was very proud of and loved; best friends, James and Mary Seavey and son Jimmy, Monrovia; special brother-in-law, Lawrence Simmons and wife Sue, Monrovia; and brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law, Don and Carolyn Simmons, Hillton Head Island, S.C., Gary and Brenda Simmons, Ocala, Fla., and Paula Simmons, Monrovia.

She was a member of Beta Chi National Sorority, Xi Chapter, and life member and past president of Glen Echo Fire Department Ladies Auxiliary.

Friends will be received today, Thursday, Sept. 21, from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. at the Newman Funeral Home, Grantsville.

A service will be held at the funeral home on Friday at 2:30 p.m., with the Rev. Donald Wilson officiating.

Interment will be in the Asher Glade Cemetery. Expressions of sympathy may be directed to the Northern Garrett County

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## THE OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

director for West Virginia, Mary Damron (pictured), will be the guest speaker at the Crellin United Brethren Church Missions Conference this Sunday, Sept. 24, at 10:50 a.m. The church is located five miles west of Oakland along Rt. 39. Operation Christmas Child is a project of Samaritan's Purse, an international Christian relief organization headed by Franklin Graham that collects gift-filled shoe boxes and delivers them to children in desperate situations around the world, including the U.S. Last Christmas numerous boxes were delivered to those affected by Hurricane Katrina. To date, more than 46 million boxes have gone to more than 134 countries, according to Samaritan's Purse. "We ask churches, groups, organizations, clubs, schools, and individuals to be a part [of the project]," said Damron. "Simply gather old shoe boxes, fill them with gifts for children, and wrap them in Christmas paper, if you want." The gifts may include small toys, school supplies, and personal hygiene items. Locally, gift boxes may be dropped off between Nov. 13 and 20 at Pleasant View Baptist Church, south of Oakland. For more information about participating in the project or Damron's presentation, one may call Debbie Welch at 301-334-9648 or the Baptist Church at 301-334-8515.

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## JANET M. O'NEAL

Janet Marie (Brant) O'Neal, 70, Stafford, Va., died Monday, Sept. 11, 2006, in Winchester, Va., from heart failure.

Born May 31, 1936, in Garrett County, she was a daughter of the late David W. and Vera Labelle (McRobie) Brant. She was also preceded in death by one sister, Annabell Brant.

She was a graduate of Falls Church High School, Falls Church, Va., and Blue Mountain College, Blue Mountain, Miss. She was a member of Delta Kappa Gamma and the Educational Sorority of Outstanding Women Educators, taught at Kent Gardens Elementary School in McLean, Va., and retired from teaching in 1990. She then did volunteer work at Stafford County Courthouse in Virginia.

She taught Sunday school at National Gardens Baptist Church in Falls Church and Mt. Ararat Baptist Church in Stafford.

Survivors include her husband, Charles C. O'Neal; one sister, Jacqueline Mae (Brant) Prince; and two adopted grandchildren.

Friends were received at the Mullins and Thompson Funeral Home, Stafford.

A service was held on Wednesday, Sept. 13, at Mt. Ararat Baptist Church, with the Rev. Todd Gaston officiating.

Interment was in the Mt. Ararat Church Cemetery.

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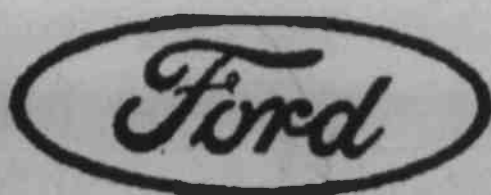
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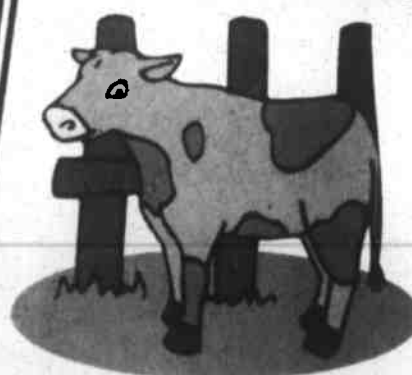
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## VANE B. IDEN

Vane B. "Mike" "Pop" Iden, 82, Deep Creek Lake, died Tuesday, Sept. 19, 2006, at Garrett County Memorial Hospital, Oakland.

Born July 9, 1924, in Davis, W.Va., he was a son of the late Ershel W. and Hazel (Burger) Iden. He was also preceded in death by one great-grandson, Jarmon Michael Fulmer.

Vane retired from the C&P Telephone Co. after working 42 years. He installed the first telephone in Garrett County. After his retirement, he volunteered for Target, taking developmentally disabled clients fishing on his pontoon. Active in the Telephone Pioneers, he was a former mayor of Loch Lynn Heights and was an avid hunter, fisherman, and Boy Scout leader. For 10 years, he coached for the Oakland Little League and supported the Pawn Run Softball Team.

He is survived by his wife of 62 years, Freda (Winters) Iden; two daughters, Christina Hicks, Erie, Pa., and Andrea Martin and husband Stanley, Loch Lynn; two sons, Larry Iden and wife Dorian, McHenry, and Gary Iden and wife Sandy, McHenry; two sisters, Wilona Rice and husband Owen, Cumberland, and Patricia Yeargan, Mt. Airy; 11 grandchildren; and 17

great-grandchildren.

Friends will be received at the Stewart Funeral Home, Oakland, today, Thursday, Sept. 21, from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

A service will be held at the funeral home on Friday at 2 p.m., with Roger Skipper officiating.

Interment was in the Garrett County Memorial Gardens, Oakland.

The family requests that memorials take the form of contributions to the donor's favorite charity.

(Paid Obituary)

## DONALD E. TREVORROW

Donald Ewing Trevorrow, 82, Morgantown, W.Va., died Saturday, Sept. 16, 2006, at the Memorial Hospital, Cumberland, following a brief illness.

Born Jan. 22, 1924, in South Brownsville, Pa., he was the only son of the late Lynn and Margaret (Hartman) Trevorrow.

Mr. Trevorrow resided in Morgantown for most of his life. He was an Army Veteran, serving from 1942 to 1945. He was a 1949 graduate of the West Virginia University, where he earned his bachelor of science degree in electrical engineering. He pursued his career as an electrical engineer until his retirement.

He was an affiliate of the Presbyterian Church in Smithfield, Pa., the IBEW (International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers) 4th District, Local Union 425, the Mountaineer Audubon Society, the Sierra Club, the AARP, and was an active member of the Morgantown City Council. He enjoyed hunting, golf, and watching sports, especially Mountaineer football.

Surviving are his long time friend and companion, Jean McKean Sollars of Kitzmiller, and several cousins.

At Mr. Trevorrow's request, his body will be cremated. A memorial service will be announced in the spring.

## Adorable Adoptables



**PLENTY OF PETS WAITING FOR HOMES** - A male hound, pictured above left, is available for adoption this week at the Garrett County Animal Shelter. He was given up by his owner and is described as being "very friendly." At right is a female husky mix, about 2 or 3 years old, that was picked up as a stray along Piney Run Road. She was not wearing any identification. Also at the shelter are two female cats that were picked up as strays. "Hopefully their owners are searching for them; if not, they are available for adoption," said a Humane Society spokesperson. One of the felines, below left, was found along Pysell Road, and the other, a Siamese mix, below right, was picked up along Oakland Sang Run Road. One of last week's adoptables, the large hound mix, was reclaimed, but the other three dogs are still looking for homes. To view their photos and obtain more information, one can go to [petfinder.com](http://petfinder.com). "Please be aware, certain hunting seasons are beginning," noted the spokesperson. "Do not let your dogs run loose, as many dogs have been shot for running deer or for just running loose." For more information about these or other pets available at the Garrett County Animal Shelter, persons may call 301-334-3553.



The David A. Burdock Funeral Home, Kitzmiller, is in charge of arrangements.

(Paid Obituary)

## KATHERINE M. SCHUMAKER

Katherine May Shumaker, 86, Grantsville, died Monday, Sept. 18, 2006, at Goodwill Mennonite Home, Grantsville.

Born Feb. 12, 1920, in Bittinger, she was a daughter of the late Dennis and Mary (Oester) Brenneman. She is also preceded in death by her husband, Alvin A. Shumaker Sr.; one stepson, Clyde Shumaker; four brothers, Stanley, Oney, twin brother Ray, and Marvin Brenneman; and two sisters, Dorothy Shade and Althea Brenneman.

She attended Maple Glen Mennonite Church, and was a homemaker.

Surviving her are one son, Larry Brenneman, McHenry; one daughter, Bonnie Miller, Grantsville; seven stepsons, Oden Shumaker, Newport News, Va., Gene Shumaker and Abe Shumaker, both of Somerset, Pa., Alvin Shumaker Jr. and Bob Shumaker, both of Grantsville, and Harold Shumaker, Saluda, N.C.; two stepdaughters, Betty Baer, Somerset, Pa., and Helen Satcho, Pittsburgh, Pa.; three brothers, Andy Brenneman, Bittinger, Olen Brenneman, Grantsville, and Rex Brenneman, Amarillo, Texas; three sisters, Hazel Friend, Friendsville, and Nona Meyers and Mary Olin Brenneman, both of Grantsville; 20 grandchildren; 25 great-grandchildren; and 25 great-great-grandchildren.

Friends will be received at Newman Funeral Home, Grantsville, today, Thursday, Sept. 21, from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

A service will be conducted in Maple Glen Mennonite Church on Friday at 10 a.m., with the Rev. Philip Moser and the Rev. Ivan Maust officiating.

Interment will be in Mt. Nebo Cemetery, Champion, Pa. Friends may call at the church one hour prior to the service.

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**GAYE FLANAGAN**  
Gaye Flanagan, 67, Elk Garden, W.Va., died Sunday, Sept. 17, 2006, at the Westmoreland Hospital in Greensburg, Pa.

Born May 6, 1939, in Shallmar, she was a daughter of the late Scott R. and Maude (Rohm) Perando.

Surviving are her husband of 51 years, Robert "Bob" Flanagan; one son, Bobby Flanagan and wife Carol, Kansas City, Mo.; two daughters, Vicki Ward and husband Walter, Elk Garden, and Jackie Myers and husband Ed, Keyser, W.Va.; one brother, Ray Perando, Tulsa, Okla.; one sister, Neva Lyons, Keyser; and five grandchildren.

Friends were received at the David A. Burdock Funeral Home, Kitzmiller, where a service was held today, Thursday, Sept. 21, with Father Ivan officiating.

Interment followed in Kalbaugh Cemetery, Elk Garden.

(Paid Obituary)

## OPAL J. ROY

Opal Jane Roy, 91, Terra Alta, W.Va., died Friday, Sept. 1, 2006, at Preston Memorial Hospital, Kingwood, W.Va.

Born Nov. 27, 1914, in Terra Alta, she was a daughter of the late William Franklin and Dora Virginia Wotring. She was the last surviving member of her immediate family.

She is survived by one son, Clarence Willard Roy and spouse Sharon of Flemingsburg, Ky.; three daughters, Delores Pomeroy and spouse Kent, Terra Alta, Illene Roy of Alexandria, Va., and Donna Roy, Alexandria, Va.; six grandchildren and spouses, Cindy and Jeff Schwartz and Michael and Melissa Roy, all of Flemingsburg, Michele and Toby Mosler, Maysville, Ky., Regina and Duard Hardin Jr., Moatsville, W.Va., Tammy and Brad Wierman, Roaring Springs, Pa., and Kenny and Suenette Pomeroy, Egdon, W.Va.; 14 great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandson; three sisters-in-law, Marie Wotring, Rella Byard, and

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**DISCOUNT CERTIFICATES AVAILABLE** - The Garrett County Humane Society will have \$50 discount certificates available on Monday, Sept. 24, for county pet owners to have their pets spayed or neutered. "We normally give out this large amount of certificates in the spring, but because of the generosity of a part-time resident of Garrett County, we are able to have them available now to county residents," explained Lisa Baker, Humane Society president. "There are a few guidelines that need to be followed. 1. You must be a Garrett County resident. You will be asked to provide proof of residency when you pick up your certificate. 2. You must come to the Garrett County Animal Shelter between 10 a.m. and 3:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, to pick up your certificate. They cannot be mailed out. 3. The certificates can be used only at Casselman Veterinary Services, Pineview Veterinary Hospital, and Countryside Animal Hospital. 4. Owners will be responsible for required vaccinations and additional costs that may accompany the surgery." There are only 100 certificates available, which will be given out on a first-come, first-served basis. Once they are all given out residents may obtain \$25 discount certificates from the Humane Society or they can contact PAWS (Partners for Animal Welfare and Safety) at 301-746-5939 for assistance. "You may call ahead to check on availability before making the trip out to the shelter," Baker said about the certificates. "Last spring people called the shelter and were very upset that they had all been given out the first week. You have a better chance of getting one if you come to the shelter early in the week, as last time we ran out in less than 10 days. Please have your pets spayed or neutered, as last year over 1,200 animals were brought in to the shelter, and this year we have already had at least 100 kittens brought in." For further information, persons may call the shelter at 301-334-3553. Pictured is the Humane Society's spay/neuter awareness billboard located along Rt. 219 north of Oakland.

Dora Roy; numerous nieces and nephews; and many friends and health care providers.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Clarence H. Roy, in 1981; four brothers, Blaine, Earl, Bliss, and Ellis Wotring; and four sisters, Leah Strawser, Irene Hoover, Susan Mosser, and Neva Wable.

Friends were received at the Arthur H. Wright Funeral Home, Terra Alta.

A service was held at the First United Methodist Church, Terra Alta, on Sunday, Sept. 3, with the Rev. Michael L. Daniels officiating.

Interment followed in the Terra Alta Cemetery.

Memorial donations may be made to the First United Methodist Christian Women's Society, 303 West

State Avenue, Terra Alta, WV 26764.

(Paid Obituary)

## HELEN L. ORTLIP

Helen Louise Ortlip, 64, Friendsville, died Sunday, Sept. 17, 2006, at Garrett County Memorial Hospital, Oakland.

Born April 13, 1942, in Friendsville, she was the daughter of the late Charles and Elsie Mae (Coddington) Artice. She is also preceded in death by two brothers, Charles Artice and George "Pete" Artice; and two sisters, Alice Dennis and Beatrice Troy.

Mrs. Ortlip was a member of First Christian Church and a homemaker.

She is survived by two daughters, Tonya M. Friend and husband Ricky, and Victoria L. Nugent and husband Rick, all of Friends-

ville; one brother, Richard Artice, Friendsville; five grandchildren, Megan, Nathan, and Michael Nugent, and Amanda and Britney Friend; and one great-grandson, Dakota Lee Nugent.

Friends were received at Newman Funeral Home, Friendsville, where a service was held today, Thursday, Sept. 21, with Rev. Galen Beitzel officiating.

Interment was in Steele Cemetery.

Condolences may be sent to the family at [www.newmanfuneralhomes.com](http://www.newmanfuneralhomes.com).

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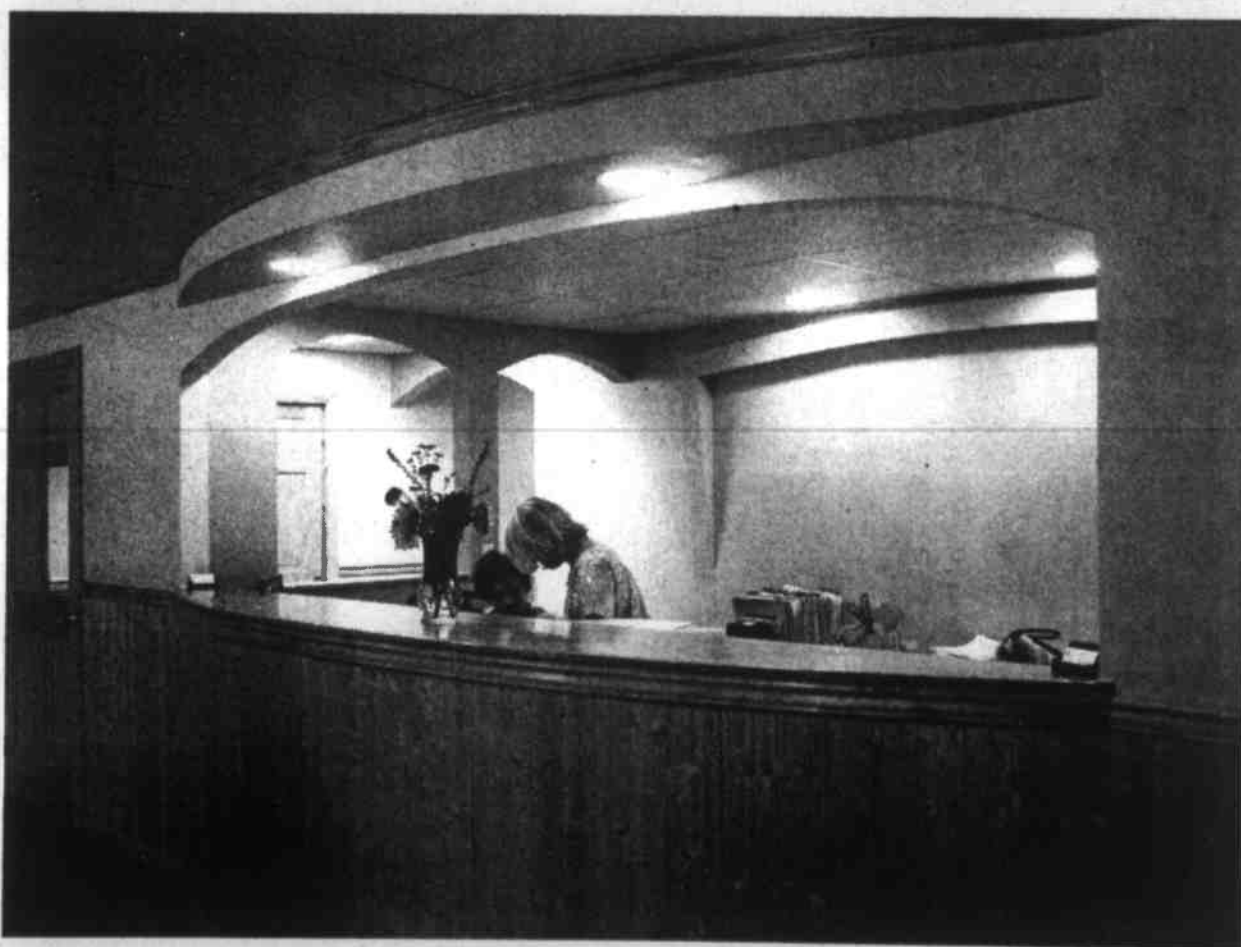
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The births of two local babies were announced this week, one boy and one girl.

A son, Mason John, was born to John and Heidi (Hauser) Qualls, Oakland, on Sept. 16 at Garrett County Memorial Hospital.

A daughter was born to Stuart and Melissa (Green) Harvey, Oakland, on Aug. 25 at Garrett County Memorial Hospital.

## Author To Speak At Civic Club Meeting Tuesday



Jo Dzieriski, author of *Picking Up Speed* and *Midway Through Life*, will be the speaker at the GFWC Civic Club of Oakland's September general meeting, slated for Tuesday, Sept. 26, at Will O' the Wisp.

Guests are welcome to attend. Lunch will be served at noon at the cost of \$9. To make a reservation, persons should contact Jackie Johnson before Sept. 24 at 301-334-4420.

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We would like to give a sincere thanks to everyone who extended their sympathy to us following the death of our mother, grandmother, wife, daughter, sister, and aunt,  
**Donna Leigh Seeders.**

A very special thanks to John Rodeheaver for the words he gave to us and to the people who brought food and helped with the kids.

Thanks for the prayers and continued prayer. You are all in our prayers as well.

**The Seeders Family,**  
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Sam & Kaylee  
Bill, Cheryl, & Shawn  
**The Crone Family**  
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**STOCKSLAGER, GRANT RECOGNIZED** - The Oakland/Mtn. Lake Park Lions Club recently held its annual family night at Broadford Park. During the event, Robert Stocksleger was named Lion of the Year, and William Grant received the Builder Key Pin 10 award for bringing in 10 new members to the club during the past year. Special guests attending that evening from Lions District 22-W were John Hopkins, district governor; Barbara McKenney, vice dis-



trict governor; Richard Liebno, secretary; Tom Jeffs, past district governor; Bob Leece, region chair; and Gerry Beachy, zone chair. The Oakland/Mtn. Lake Lions Club started in 1940, currently has 61 members, and contributes more than \$30,000 to the community for various programs each year. Pictured at left is Blue Marucci presenting Stocksleger his award. At right, Grant is shown receiving his award from Lion president Terry Helbig.

## QuickBooks '06 Beginner Course To Be Offered

A two-session course titled QuickBooks 2006, Beginner Level will be held Oct. 2 and 4 from 6 to 8:30 p.m. A one-day session will be held on Friday, Oct. 6, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

The class will provide an introduction to the computer program for participants with little or no experience in using it. Topics to be covered include creating a new QuickBooks company, modifying the present chart of accounts, adding information to company lists, opening and using registers for any QuickBooks balance sheet accounts, and reconciling a QuickBooks checking account.

Sarah Wilt, a 2006 QuickBooks certified instructor, will conduct the class.

For more information or to register, persons may contact Kista Wilt at 301-387-3069 or via e-mail at kwilt@garrettcollege.edu.

## "Stone In The Garden" Class Offered By GC

A four-session course titled Stone in the Garden will be offered on Tuesdays beginning Oct. 3 from 6 to 8 p.m.

This course will explore uses for stone in the garden, from walls to sculptures. Stone as an aesthetic and functional element will be discussed, along with some of the history of stone in landscape. Cheryl Lough, a local landscape architect, will conduct the class.

For more information or to register, persons may contact Kista Wilt at 301-387-3069 or via e-mail at kwilt@garrettcollege.edu. The class is an offering of the Continuing Education and Workforce Development Division of Garrett College.

## Juvenile Services In Need Of Garrett Co. Foster Homes

The Department of Juvenile Services (DJS) is currently recruiting foster homes in Garrett, Allegany, and Washington counties. The DJS is a state agency that is required by law to provide treatment for delinquent youth and youth with behavioral problems such as chronic running away.

The department provides two types of care: shelter foster care (1 to 30 days) and traditional foster care (3 to 18 months). The DJS generally places youth between the ages of 10 and 17 in foster homes, and the state pays a monthly stipend to assist with their care, along with medical insurance for the youth.

For more information about becoming a foster parent, persons may contact Melissa Rice, DJS foster care coordinator, at 240-420-1734 or at Reynolds@djs.state.md.us.

## Benefit Dance Slated To Help Kelvin Fearer



A benefit dance will be held on Saturday, Sept. 30, at the Blue Star Bar and Grill in Hazelton, W. Va., for Kelvin Fearer, who has esophageal cancer.

Fearer recently had two surgeries at West Penn Hospital in Pittsburgh, Pa., and is currently home with drain tubes and a feeding tube.

He is employed with Beitzel Corporation, and his wife Debria is on a leave of absence from Funny Farm Cigo in Friendsville to care for him. All proceeds of this event will be given to Fearer.

Music will be provided by Floyd Cowger. The dance, sponsored by the Blue Star "Dacron Dahlings" Red Hat Society, will

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## Two SHS JROTC Cadets Complete Leadership Camp

Two JROTC (Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps) cadets from Southern High School, Cadet Lt. Col. Eric Tichnell and Cadet 1st Lt. Joel Rush, completed and graduated from the West Virginia National Guard Youth Leadership Camp this past summer.

This camp was held at Camp Dawson in West Virginia, and is operated just like military boot camp - complete with drill sergeants. There were more than 85 cadets from all over West Virginia and the surrounding areas that attended. The focus of this camp is leadership.

Some of the activities were a demonstration by the West Virginia Army National Guard Special Forces Group, a trip to the Morgantown Airport to see a UH-60 Black Hawk helicopter and C-130 Hercules airplane, marksmanship, team sports, and motivational movies.

The cadets were placed in leadership positions throughout the week and received an evaluation on their leadership abilities as well as teamwork, staying motivated, physical training, and the cleanliness of their bunk areas. Their drill sergeants coached, taught, mentored, and motivated them all week long. Both cadets said they were glad they attended and that they learned a lot.



**TWO GRADUATE FROM LEADERSHIP CAMP** - Cadet Lt. Col. Eric Tichnell and Cadet 1st Lt. Joel Rush, JROTC (Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps) cadets from Southern High School, recently graduated from the West Virginia National Guard Youth Leadership Camp, which is operated like a regular boot camp and held at Camp Dawson in West Virginia. Pictured above, from the left, are Rush, Lt. Col. Jack Riley (ret.), and Tichnell. See story.

Tichnell is battalion commander and Rush is the battalion executive officer for this year's Rams Battalion of Cadets for 2006-2007.

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# The Arts

## Frostburg State University's Theatre Plans 2006-07 Schedule

Frostburg State University Theatre will open its 2006-2007 season with the hit musical *Urinetown*, with music and lyrics by Mark Holloman and book and lyrics by Greg Kotis, on Oct. 6, 7, 12, 13, and 14 at 7:30 p.m. and Oct. 7 and 14 at 2 p.m. in the Performing Arts Center Drama Theatre.

*Urinetown*, inspired by the works of Bertolt Brecht and Kurt Weill, is a boy-meets-girl romance that takes place during a revolutionary time in the near future when private toilets are banned and water is worth its weight in gold. "Urinetown is a witty, irreverent and completely original play that both satirizes and honors the rich traditions of musical theatre, touching on everything from *West Side Story* to *Les Misérables*," said a spokesperson.

Joseph Langham's *Out to Lunch* will be performed on Nov. 10, 11, 16, 17, and 18 at 7:30 p.m., with a matinee performance on Nov. 11 at 2 p.m. in the F. Perry Smith Studio Theatre. "In this witty and risky, yet entirely pertinent and entertaining play, Numba Won and Numba Two (two clueless geeks) begin a meaningless, daylong 'camp out' at a diner where an eclectic, absurd, and often irrelevant array of characters labor to make their diner experience fulfilling," said a spokesperson.

*Eurydice*, by Sarah Ruhl, will run March 2, 3, 8, 9, and 10 at 7:30 p.m. and a matinee performance on March 3 at 2 p.m. in the Drama Theatre. The tragic story of Eurydice and Orpheus is a cornerstone of mythology and has been retold in nearly every art form. "Avoiding the usual romanticism and melodrama, *Eurydice* is a unique, impressionistic interpretation of a timeless, haunting story. Focusing more on

Eurydice's relationship with her father than Orpheus, it unfolds in an Underworld setting that bears more resemblance to *Alice in Wonderland* than to the mythical Hades. *Eurydice* is a play about words and language, about forgetfulness and memory and about re-finding one's voice," said a spokesperson.

The Main Stage series will close with an all African American production of John Steinbeck's classic *Of Mice and Men*, with performances in the F. Perry Smith Studio Theatre on April 13, 14, 19, 20, and 21 at 7:30 p.m. and April 14 at 2 p.m. "Of Mice and Men is the moving story of George and his simple-minded friend Lennie, two lonely and alienated Depression-era drifters who dream of buying a ranch together. Shortly after they begin to work on a Salinas Valley Ranch, their hopes take a turn for the worse. The two friends discover the harsh flip side of the American Dream, and their friendship is tragically tested beyond normal limits," said a spokesperson.

The student-directed production series called *Season Too!* will run performances of *Earth and Sky*, by Douglas Post on Oct. 27 and 28, and Academy award winner Alan Ball's *Five Women Wearing the Same Dress* will be presented on Feb. 23 and 24. Both productions will begin at 7:30 in the F. Perry Smith Studio Theatre. All tickets are \$5.

In a change from previous years, all evening performances will begin at 7:30 p.m. Matinee performances will continue to run at 2 p.m.

Tickets are \$10 for the general public and \$5 for students. Season Discount Flex Cards are also available.

For reservations, persons may call 301-687-7465 weekdays, 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. The box office opens one hour prior to curtain. Group discounts are available when booked in advance.

## Bobby Mitchell To Present Schrock Memorial Recital



Music at Penn Alps will present the 2006 Alta Schrock Memorial Concert on Saturday, Sept. 23, at 7:30 p.m. in the Great Hall at Penn Alps. The program will be a piano recital by Bobby Mitchell.

This purpose of the concert is to memorialize the life and work of Dr. Alta E. Schrock (1900-2001). Dr. Schrock was a co-founder of Music at Penn Alps, Spruce Forest Artisan Village, Penn Alps Restaurant and Craft Shop, and numerous other philanthropic organizations. As the first-prize winner at the 2005 Garrison Piano

Competition, hosted by the Baltimore-Washington Chapter of the American Liszt Society, Mitchell was awarded this year's Schrock Memorial Concert.

Mitchell is a young pianist interested in both the catalog of new works being written today and the standard classical repertoire. He plays solo repertoire, chamber music, and larger ensemble works in a variety of settings, and has performed as soloist with the World Youth Symphony Orchestra at such venues as the Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts. He has received prizes from the Fischhoff National Chamber Music Competition, the National Foundation for the Advancement of the Arts, and the Tennessee Music Teachers' Association.

A native of Tennessee, Mitchell studied with David Brunell at the University of Tennessee before attending the Interlochen Arts Academy to finish high school. He is now a student at the Eastman School of Music, under the tutelage of Professor Nelita True.

The pianist is an avid supporter of contemporary music and has participated in such world premieres as the *Artist's Studio*, a piano concerto by David Pylar. He is a board member and frequent performer for the student-run new music organization Ossia, at the Eastman School. In addition to studying at the Eastman School, he has attended the Round Top Festival-Institute, the Eastern Music Festival, and the Interlochen Arts Camp.

The program will include: Toccata in F# minor by Johann Sebastian Bach; *Aux Cypres de la Villa d'Este I - Threnodie*, and Hungarian Rhapsody No. 6, both composed by Franz Liszt; *Three Preludes, Embraceable You* and *I Got Rhythm* by George



**SUPERCHICK COMING TO MORGANTOWN** - Columbia/Inpop Records group Superchick will set out this fall on the Live Love Tour, joined by rock band Sanctus Real, rapper John Reuben, and emerging artist Last Tuesday. The musicians will appear in Morgantown, W.Va., on Oct. 8. Chicago-based Superchick comprises sisters Tricia Brock (vocals) and Melissa Brock (vocals, guitar), Matt Dally (bass, vocals), Dave Ghazarian (lead guitar, vocals), Brandon Estelle (drums, vocals), and Max Hsu (keyboards/DJ). With five projects to date, Superchick has sold upwards of 450,000 albums, a spokesperson said. Music from the group has been heard in more than 60 different films and television shows, including TV's *The Practice*, *Alias*, *Felicity*, and *Joan of Arcadia*; and in movies including *Legally Blonde 2*, *Ice Princess*, and *Confessions of a Teenage Drama Queen*. For touring and ticket information, persons may go to [www.superchick.net](http://www.superchick.net).

Gershwin; and Sonata No. 21 in C Major, Op. 53 (*Waldstein*) by Ludwig van Beethoven.

The performance is a presentation of the Schrock Memorial Fund.

Music at Penn Alps is a non-profit organization dedicated to presenting classical music and American traditions. The series offers 10 chamber music and two American music concerts annually during the summer months. Concerts take place

in the Great Hall at Penn Alps, located along Alt. Route 40 in Grantsville.

## Auditions For A Christmas Carol Slated At OTT

Our Town Theatre in Oakland will hold auditions for *A Christmas Carol*, the family-oriented drama that contains all of the elements of the traditional story by Charles Dickens. The auditions are set for Sunday, Sept. 24, from 2 until 5 p.m., and on Monday, Sept. 25, from 7 to 9 p.m.

According to Jane Avery, artistic director of OTT, there are approximately 25 parts in the production for actors ages 8 to 80. Avery noted that only a few young children will be cast.

The performances of the show are scheduled for Nov. 15 through 19. Reservations to see the play can be made starting Nov. 1 by calling the theatre at 301-334-5640.

"It's time we tackled this wonderful old story," Avery said. "This production should provide a great the-

atrical event for families."

Questions about auditions or the production may be directed to Avery by calling the number noted above. Adapted for stage by Romulus Linney, *A Christmas Carol* is being produced through a special arrangement with the Dramatists' Play Service, and is funded in part by the Garrett County Arts Council and the Maryland State Arts Council.

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### FRIDAY, Sept. 22

- Old Time Music Jam at Village Church, Spruce Forest Artisan Village, Grantsville, 6 to 9 p.m. Come to listen or to play. Donations appreciated. (301-895-3332)
- *Stranger With a Camera* and *Sludge*, two Appalshop films presented as part of Appalachian Festival by FSU Cultural Events Series, Palace Theatre, Frostburg, 8 p.m. Free. (1-866-849-9237)
- Downtown Morgantown Arts Walk, Morgantown, W.Va., 5 to 9 p.m. Main Street Morgantown and Arts Monogahela together will showcase some of the area's premier artisans, and will highlight many of downtown Morgantown's unique retail shops, restaurants, and taverns. (304-292-0168)

### SATURDAY, Sept. 23

- Pianist Bobby Mitchell performs works by Liszt, Beethoven, and Frederic Rzewski for Alta Schrock Memorial Concert at Great Hall of Penn Alps, Grantsville, 7:30 p.m. Adult admission, \$12; under 18, free. (301-895-4250)
- Liz Carroll, John Doyle, Bruce Molsky & Dirk Powell, Irish music presented as part of Appalachian Festival by FSU Cultural Events Series at PAC Pealer Recital Hall, Frostburg, 7:30 p.m. Tickets: adults, \$15; children to age 17, \$10. (1-866-849-9237)

### SUNDAY, Oct. 1

- Aurora Barn Dance, to benefit Aurora Project Artists' Residency and Educational Programs, at Brookside Farm, Aurora, W.Va., 3 to 6 p.m. Admission: \$10. (304-735-3620)
- The Spencers Theatre of Illusion presented by FSU Cultural Events Series at Cordts PE Center Main Arena, Frostburg, 8 p.m. Tickets: adults, \$15; children up to age 17, \$8. (1-866-849-9237)

### EXHIBITS

- Through Sept. 30: Photography by Caroline Blizzard and Sculpture by Kenny Braithman at the Gallery, Oakland, Monday through Saturday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. (301-334-6580)
- Through Sept. 22: Watercolors by Arwana Schoemer at Garrett College Art Gallery, McHenry. (301-387-3024)
- Through Sept. 28, *Born of Rebellion*, West Virginia Statehood, Moomau Library in Petersburg, W.Va. A presentation of the Grant County Arts Council Inc., the exhibit is free and open to the public. Information: GCAC at P.O. Box 988, Petersburg, WV 26847.

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## A Christmas Carol

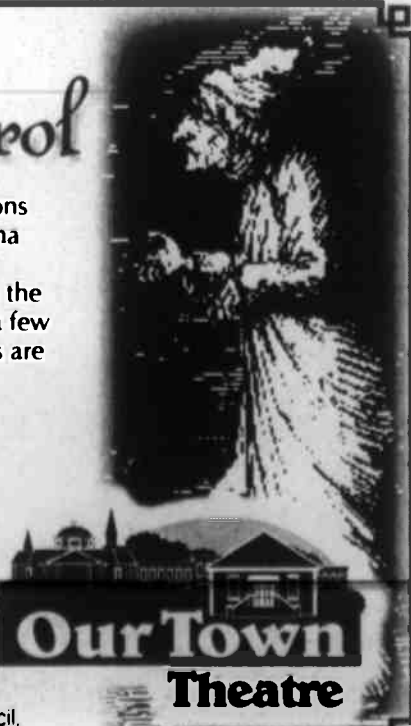
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### Auditions:

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**HELPING THE COMMUNITY** - Woodmen of the World Lodge 41 recently presented a donation to the Grantsville Volunteer Fire Department. Pictured above, from left, are Duane Stein of the fire department; Lillian Guthrie, WOW secretary; Charles Yommer of the fire department; and Paul Edwards, mayor of Grantsville.

### Amateur Radio Emergency Org. Notes Activities

At a recent meeting of the Garrett County Amateur Radio Emergency Service (ARES), members voted to award a certificate of thanks to Lyman Fitzgerald, who has now left Garrett County. Lyman worked for many years to integrate Garrett County amateur radio services into the emergency response teams of both Garrett and Allegany counties.

Members discussed plans to continue and expand this support through participation in county and statewide emergency tests.

The next scheduled meet-

ing of the amateur radio group will be held on Oct. 9, 7 p.m., at the American Red Cross office in Oakland, located along Third Street near Pizza Hut.

September has been designated as National Preparedness Month by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security, with the goal of increasing public awareness of the importance of preparing for emergencies, a spokesperson said. In support of this effort the Amateur Radio Relay League (ARRL), of which the Garrett County ARES group is a member, will conduct a simulated emergency test on Oct. 7 and 8. The local ARES is now in the process of planning its level of effort in support of this communications test.

Amateur radio operators in Garrett, Preston, and Mineral counties who wish to participate can check in on the Garrett County ARES Net which meets every Sunday at 8 p.m. on the 146.805 MHz repeater.

### Homecoming Set At State Line Church

The State Line Methodist Church will hold its annual homecoming on Sunday, Sept. 24.

The service will begin at 11 a.m., and lunch will follow. Music will be provided by "Jim and I."

The church is located at the corner of U.S. Route 40 and Pig's Ear Road, near Keyser's Ridge.

## U.S. Senate Candidate Errors Warn of Rough Ride Ahead

by Leticia Linn  
Capital News Service

A week after the primary election, the two major-party U.S. Senate nominees are trying to refocus from a rough start to the general election season.

Republican Michael Steele is still trying to explain why he congratulated Democrat Ben Cardin on his win, but then skipped a nationally televised debate opportunity because Cardin's victory was not yet official. And the Cardin campaign is facing allegations of racism from the Steele campaign, after it fired a staff member who kept a Web log, or blog, containing bigoted comments.

The incidents may not push voters away, but they are an alert for both candidates to avoid future mistakes in a campaign that may be anything but peaceful, analysts say.

"It has been a rough start, but it's going to get rougher," said Ronald Walters, professor of political science at University of Maryland, College Park.

The incidents, he said, are unlikely to have much impact in votes, unless something more serious comes out.

"It also depends on who is better at pointing out the flaws, the problems, the troubles in the other person's campaign," Walters

said. "If it keeps happening, it will become a problem."

Cardin is a longtime campaigner, so Walters said he expects problems with that campaign will be kept to a minimum. But Steele may make more mistakes since it is his first "real campaign," he said. Lt. Gov. Steele ran on the same ticket as Gov. Robert L. Ehrlich four years ago, his first race for public office.

"But this is his campaign and he's got to prove that he's up to it," Walters said. "So he is apt to make more mistakes."

One of those mistakes, Walters said, was to concede Cardin's victory the day after the primary and invite him to debate, and then refuse to debate him.

Cardin appeared alone on the MSNBC show "Hardball with Chris Matthews" Thursday, saying he did not know why Steele was not recognizing him as the legitimate nominee, after congratulating him.

That controversy was still under discussion when Cardin's problems hit. One of his campaign staffers was keeping a Web log, or blog, of her campaign experience — calling herself Persuasionatrix. She wrote about a black staffer who "plays the racism card, the magic passport to a different chain of command" every time he was going to be disciplined. She also wrote about her

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**TOOTSIE ROLL CAMPAIGN GEARING UP** - The Knights of Columbus Council 1771, Oakland, will conduct its annual Tootsie Roll Campaign next month to benefit people with mental disabilities. The Knights will distribute the candy after masses at St. Peter the Apostle Church and at the following local commercial establishments: Browning's Foodland, Oct. 7; Foodland Fresh and Arrowhead, Oct. 21 and 22; Naylor's Hardware, Oct. 28; and Wal-Mart, Oct. 28 and 29. Shown is Knight Ron Hansen, chairman of this year's campaign, as he conducts an inventory of supplies to be used. Funds collected this year will be presented to Appalachian Crossroads in Oakland, which provides support services to local adults who have mental retardation and other developmental disabilities.

discomfort in being a "sex object" for Cardin's Jewish friends. The staffer was fired Friday, when Cardin's team learned about the blog. Oren Shur told The Washington Post Sunday.

But Steele's campaign manager Michael Leavitt did not let it pass, releasing a statement on the "racially insulting blog," and addressing several questions to Cardin on the issues on the blog.

Steele, Maryland's first black lieutenant governor, was particularly concerned with the racial comments.

"What we are seeing is really a tempest in a teapot," said Keith Haller, president of Potomac Inc., a Bethesda public opinion research firm, especially if it is compared with "the all-out war that is going to be undertaken" in Maryland in the next weeks.

"Both camps are matching their armaments for the big battle of the next several weeks," he said.

"Inside baseball — the machinations of one campaign to another really doesn't impact voter attitudes," Haller said. "It's the rough and tumble of these national campaigns where other people are making decisions," he added, and the political process gets "muddy."

Haller said Cardin "very aggressively wants to nationalize the campaign. He wants to look at the U.S. Senate position as the place where major decisions are going to be made" about the Iraq war, the budget or the Bush administration's performance. Steele is "more focused on leadership, and personality and style, less on substance," while trying to show himself as moder-

ate to entice Maryland's mainstream voters.

The week's incidents are mere jockeying for position, Haller said, and the real race will be in the stretch three weeks before the Nov. 7 general election.

### AURORA

*Editor's note:* The following section from this week's Aurora newsletter is being reprinted because some of the information on Page C-5 is out of order.

### PERSONAL MENTION

Marie Martin of Aurora celebrated her 90th birthday on Sept. 9 by going to the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Carol and Jack Everly, Kingwood, where their children and the new twin babies were present. Kenneth and Kim Johnson of Woodbridge, Va., came with their son, Kenyon, and his twin sisters, Ava and Zoe. Also there was Kim's sister, Annie, with her small son. Prior to this, they met for the Labor Day weekend at Mooresville, N.C., for a family reunion. Those of the family there were Marie, Carol and Jack Everly, Eleanor and Raymond Peters of Florida, Greg Peters of Vermillion, Ohio, Gloria Peterson and friend Jeanie, Lucille Shaffer and son Dennis, Baltimore, and Karen and Chris Costello. On Sunday, Marie was recognized at her church with a birthday cake and the dedication of money raised for Camp Luther improvements given in her honor.

Richard Schrock of Aurora and Alice Knotts Wilt of Oakland were married recently at the Deep Creek Lake home of his sister. Their families were the guests. The couple now resides at Oakland.

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# SPORTS

## Ram Gridders Flattened By Mountaineers; Fall To 0-2

Unable to contain a powerful ground attack and unable to hold onto the ball, the young Southern High School varsity football team and their new head coach Steve Savage sustained their second convincing defeat in two starts Friday evening, as the Rams were overwhelmed by a veteran squad from Beall, 39-6.

The Mountaineers rolled up a total of 417 yards of offense, with 312 of that coming on the ground, while the Southern offense committed six turnovers, many of them forced by the Beall defensive unit.

The Southern defense

**BEALL (39)**  
**SOUTHERN (6)**

Beall 12 14 0 13 - 39  
Southern 0 0 0 6 - 6

**First Quarter**

B - Matt Farris 60 run (kick failed), 9:58

B - Clifton Martin 7 run (run failed), 5:24

**Second Quarter**

B - Shane Chambers 15 run (pass failed), 5:46

B - Chad Harris 5 run (Harris run), 2:4

**Fourth Quarter**

B - Pat Winbrenner 53 run (Danny Snider kick), 11:47

S - Caiden Shaffer kickoff return (kick failed), 11:32

B - Sean Fazenbaker 47 from Josh Wilson (kick failed), 4:15

1st downs rushing	11	5
1st downs passing	2	1
1st downs penalty	0	1
Total 1st downs	13	7
Passes attempted	9	11
Passes completed	4	2
Passes intercepted	0	3
Passing yards	105	24
Rush - net yds.	53-312	34-107
Penalties-yards	7-40	1-15
Fumbles-lost	1-1	4-3
Total offense	417	131

It was a 60-yard run from scrimmage by Matt Farris that opened the scoring for Beall, his touchdown coming at the 9:58 mark of the first quarter. The kick for the conversion was no good.

The Mountaineers scored their second touchdown on their next possession, with Clifton Martin capping the effort with a seven-yard scoring carry. The conversion run failed, leaving Beall with a 12-0 lead with 5:24 remaining in the first quarter.

The second quarter was more of the same, as Shane Chambers raced to the end zone on a 15-yard carry at the 5:46 mark. The pass for the conversion was unsuccessful.

Chad Harris followed with a five-yard touchdown run with just 24 seconds left in the half. He also ran successfully for the two extra points, giving the Mountaineers a commanding 26-0 lead at halftime.

After a scoreless third period, Pat Winbrenner broke loose on a 53-yard touchdown run for Beall, scoring at the 11:47 mark of the fourth quarter, and Danny Snider booted the extra point to put the Mountaineers on top, 33-0.

On the ensuing kickoff, the Rams recorded their only points of the evening, as Caiden Shaffer received and returned the ball over 90 yards for a touchdown. The two-point conversion attempt was no good.

The Mountaineer offense was still not finished, however, as Sean Fazenbaker scored one more six-pointer on a 47-yard pass from Josh Wilson with 4:15 to play. The kick for the extra point failed.

Winebrenner finished with 80 yards of rushing for the Mountaineers, while teammate Harris picked up 61 yards on the ground.

The Rams fumbled the ball away three times, and the Mountaineers also picked off three Southern aials.



**OUTMATCHED ON THE GRIDIRON** by the Mountaineers of Beall High School were the host Southern High Rams, who were soundly defeated by the visitors, 39-6. In the photo above, Ram quarterback Adam VanBogelen fakes a handoff to Justin Ratliff behind the safety of the Southern offensive wall. One highlight of the evening for Ram fans was a 90-plus-yard kickoff return for a touchdown by Caiden Shaffer, who

"I was pretty disappointed with our effort," said Coach Savage. "There were things that we could have and should have done better. Beall was not as physical as Allegany, but they knew what they needed to do to win, and they did it very well. Their fullback tandem (Winebrenner and Chambers) did exactly what we were afraid they would do, pick up 5-7 yards per carry."

"We hope this will serve as a wakeup call to our kids to do the work they need to do in the weight room," he said. "We told them that three years ago our jayvee team beat Beall, and it's basically the same kids playing each other today."

Savage said that, because of the late turnover in the head coach position, the Rams' weight program did suffer during the off-season, but he is confident that he and his assistants will "get it back on track."

The Rams were decidedly underdogs in their first two games, and would probably have to be considered at least slight underdogs this week when they travel to Lonaconing to take on Westmar (1-1). However, even though the Wildcats are playing with a lot of emotion since it is the final year of their high school's existence, Southern should match up pretty well with them.

The Wildcats run a spread offense, similar to that of the WVU Mountaineers, and they put the ball in the air about two-thirds of the time.

They are led offensively by their quarterback Jeremy Shingler, a 5-7, 155-pound junior, junior halfback Caleb Smith (5-9, 175), and junior receiver Adam Kolberg (5-5, 125).

"Shingler runs their offense very well," Savage said. "He is very athletic and scrambles well, which buys time and allows his receivers to get open."

"Even though they throw more than they run, Smith is strong and quick, blocks well for Shingler, and can also catch the ball," he said. "Kolberg isn't very big, but he is quick, very elusive, and has good hands," said Savage.

"Obviously we have worked hard this week with our pass defense, particularly against swing passes and screens, which they use a lot," he added.

Westmar's 5-2 monster defensive unit is led by Smith at the nose tackle



position, and Shingler and junior Zack Martin (5-8, 165) at linebacker spots.

Savage said that from a size standpoint the Rams are somewhat bigger.

"This is probably the only team on our schedule that is a little smaller than we are," he said.

Listed as "very doubtful" for this week's game is senior fullback/linebacker Eric Pike, who has a high-ankle sprain, and listed as "questionable" is junior running back Tommie Reams, who has a broken hand.

"Westmar has won one game, and maybe should have won both of their games so far," Savage said, "so they know how to win. We need to learn how to win, and we hope to do that this week. We've had a good week of practice and are anxious to play."

Friday's kickoff at Westmar is set for 7 p.m.

## Punt, Pass & Kick Set Saturday At Southern High

The Oakland Youth Football League will hold a Punt, Pass & Kick competition this Sunday, Sept. 24, at 6:30 p.m. at the Southern High School football field.

The event is for boys and girls ages 8 to 15. Participants must provide copies of their birth certificates and wear tennis shoes. Cleats will not be permitted.

For more information, persons may call Randy Tichnell at 301-334-4317 or visit online ppk-NFLyouth-football.com to learn more about the Punt, Pass & Kick program.

is pictured below shortly after beginning that scoring jaunt. It was the second loss in as many starts for the Rams, who lost virtually every starter from last season to graduation this past spring and are thus in a rebuilding year under new head coach Steve Savage. The Rams will try to get into the win column this Friday at Westmar. Photos by John McEwen.

the extra point, and the game went into overtime.

Northern scored first on a five-yard run by Tyler Bittinger, but then failed to score the extra point. The Rams came right back and tied the score on a 12-yard toss from Savannah Hose to JP Twigg. Hose's pass to Logsdon was good, giving the Rams a 13-12 victory.

In other Cumberland Youth League action, Austin Tombley ran for one touchdown and kicked a 24-yard fourth quarter field goal to lead the Division I Northern Steelers back to winning ways, as they defeated the D & D Wildcats 33-0 on Monday, improving their record to 3-1.

The Steelers scored in the first quarter on a pass from Jacob Bosley to Tyler DeWitt. The kick for the extra point failed giving the Steelers a 6-0 lead. In the second quarter, Tombley then scored on a 2-yard run and kicked the extra point, making the score 14-0.

Kameron Kamp intercepted a pass and raced 50 yards for a touchdown and Zach Meyers kicked the extra to give the Steelers a 22-0 halftime lead.

Matt Thomas's six-yard touchdown run in the third quarter and Tombley's fourth quarter field goal completed the scoring.

Tombley finished the

**RIDGELEY RAMS (22)**  
**NORTHERN STEELERS (8)**  
Ridgeley 0 8 0 14 - 22  
Northern 0 8 0 0 - 8

N - Alex Ruff 35 pass from Jake Bosley (Bosley kick).

R - Joey Luciw 20 run (Brian Bills kick).

R - Luciw 45 run (Bills kick).

R - Luciw 87 run (run failed).

**NORTHERN STEELERS (28)**  
**D&D WILDCATS (0)**  
Northern 16 12 0 0 - 28  
D&D 0 0 0 0 - 0

N - Adam Finzel 29 pass from Patrick Sines (Josh Mason kick).

N - Cody Rodeheaver 28 run (Mason kick).

N - Mason 2 run (kick failed).

N - Rodeheaver 54 pass from Mason (kick failed).

**KEYSER (36)**  
**OAKLAND (0)**  
Keyser 30 6 0 0 - 36  
Oakland 0 0 0 0 - 0

K - Calob Piriano 42 run (Piriano kick).

K - Steven Nelson 4 run (kick failed).

K - Westly Washington 55 run (Piriano kick).

K - Peyton Hartman 40 pass from Levi Ebert (Piriano kick).

K - Kadeem Garfield 51 run (kick failed).

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O - Lex Ozias 6 run (kick failed).

game with nine carries for 46 yards.

In Division II action, Josh Mason ran for one score, threw for another, and kicked two extra points to lead the Northern Steelers to a 28-0 victory over the D&D Wildcats.

Quarterback Patrick Sines completed a 29-yard, scoring pass to Adam Finzel to put the Steelers on the board in the first quarter, and Cody Rodeheaver, raced 28-yards, giving the Steelers a 16-0 halftime lead.

Mason completed the scoring in the second half by running for a 2-yard, touchdown and passing to Rodeheaver for a 54-yard, score. Northern improved, their record to 3-1, while the Wildcats fell to 0-3. The Steelers face BW this Sunday at Northern.

In other Youth League action, Division I Keyser improved its record to 3-1, after beating the Oakland Rams 36-0.

Keyser scored four times on the ground and once through the air. In the first quarter, four different Keyser players contributed touchdowns. Calob Piriano scored on a 42-yard run, Steven Nelson went in from the 4-yard line, Westly Washington scored on a 55-yard run, and Peyton Hartman caught a 40-yard, touchdown pass from Levi Ebert. Piriano kicked three, of four extra points.

The final score came in the second quarter on a 51-yard run by Kadeem Garfield. Keyser rushed for 196 total yards, and the Steelers, finished with 236 total yards of offense.

In a Division II game, the Oakland Rams improved its record to 3-1 by beating Keyser 13-0. Oakland scored on touchdowns by Zack Knotts and Lex Ozias.

Oakland plays at Frostburg this Saturday.

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## Huskies Lose Momentum In 42-12 Loss To BS Indians

The Berkeley Springs Indians (2-2) showed their depth and experience as they ran for four touchdowns and passed for two in steamrolling Northern 42-12 last Friday in Accident.

After recovering a Berkeley Springs fumble on the opening kickoff, the Huskies (1-1) looked like a juggernaut as they moved downfield and scored on a two-yard run by fullback Corey Carr.

But the momentum quickly shifted as the Indians scored in less than two minutes when Nathan Sirbaugh hit Ryan Morris on a 15-yard scoring pass and Josh Wise kicked the extra point. The Indians added another score late in the first quarter when halfback Cody Hess ran for a four-yard touchdown and Wise added the point after.

Hess added another touchdown in the second quarter after he scampered 30 yards for a touchdown. Wise's kick for the extra point was good, making it 21-6. Northern had an opportunity to score late in the half as they drove deep into the Indians' red zone, but were not able to convert against a tough Berkeley Springs defense.

Berkeley Springs scored twice in the third quarter on a five-yard run by Sirbaugh and a six-yard run by Hess. Both extra points were made, bringing the score to 35-6.

The Indians scored their **BERKELEY SPRINGS (42)**  
**NORTHERN (12)**  
Berkeley 14 7 14 7 - 42  
Northern 6 0 0 6 - 12  
First Quarter  
N - Corey Carr 2 run (pass failed), 9:46.  
BS - Ryan Morris 15 pass from Nathan Sirbaugh (Josh Wise kick), 7:57.  
BS - Cody Hess 4 run (Wise kick), 12:12.

Second Quarter  
BS - Hess 30 run (Wise kick), 10:02.  
Third Quarter  
BS - Sirbaugh 5 run (Wise kick), 6:52.  
BS - Hess 6 run (Wise kick), 0:00.

Fourth Quarter  
BS - Foster Sirbaugh 30 pass from Nathan Sirbaugh (Wise kick), 8:30.  
N - Brock Glatfelter 25 pass from Garrett Gullledge (run failed), 2:03.

last touchdown on a 30-yard pass from Sirbaugh to his brother, Foster, with 8:30 left in the fourth quarter. Wise kicked the extra point, making the score 42-6.

Huskies quarterback Garrett Gullledge hooked up with Brock Glatfelter on a 25-yard scoring pass and the final score of the game.

"We jumped on them early after recovering the fumble," said Northern coach Phil Carr. "We were down 21-6 at halftime and we were still in the game, but they just wore us down in the second half. They have a lot of skilled players and a good defense, and we just got beaten by a better team."

The Huskies suffered a setback when they lost starting tackle Stephen Taylor. Brandon Opel was also banged up during the game but is expected to play Saturday against Severn.

After reviewing the film of the Berkeley game, Carr said that the Huskies would have fared a little better had they not missed so many blocking assignments. Carr also said that he would make personnel changes on the defensive line in an effort to improve the team's play.

### TOMORROW'S GAME

The Huskies will host Severn this Saturday.

"Severn is similar to Berkeley Springs. They like to throw the ball a good bit, and spread you out with different formations," Carr said. "They do a lot of shifting before the snap, and their quarterback Nick Ayers (5-11, 165, Sr.) has a nice arm, and he can run," Carr added.

Carr said Ayers likes to throw to senior tight-end Nick Elsmo (6-0, 195), and senior split-end Mark Staines (6-3). Carr also mentioned sophomore running-back Noah Pyles (5-11, 200) as a threat.

"They operate a 3-5 defensive scheme, and like to blitz," Carr said. "Senior Pete Dunigan (5-11, 185), one of their middle line-backers, is probably their best defensive player," Carr said.

When asked how he would attack Severn's de-



**WHAT HAPPENED, HUSKIES?** - The Big Blue Machine looked well oiled in recovering a Berkeley Springs fumble on the opening kickoff and scoring three plays later on Corey Carr's two-yard run. But the Indians quickly recovered, driving the length of the field in less than two minutes and scoring on a 15-yard pass. The Huskies were never able to regain the momentum and lost to the Indians 42-12 at home. Above, quarterback Garrett Gullledge (#7) prepares to hand off to Blair Sirbaugh (#22, far left), while Ben Diehl (#24) and Carr (#30) run interference. Below, Gullledge prepares to hand off as Berkeley Springs players react.



## Huskies Place Second In Golf Match At Wisp

Northern placed second to Fort Hill after shooting 194 in a triangular high school golf match Wednesday, Sept. 13, at the Wisp at Deep Creek Mountain Resort.

The Huskies got low rounds from Zak Brosnihan with a 47 and Andrew Joslin with a 48.

Fort Hill had an overall team score of 186, including a low round of 43 from Drew Morgan. Preston, led by Jordan Snyder's 51, finished third with a 223 team score. Northern will play Tuesday at the Cumberland Country Club against Allegany.

## "Even Count" Is Play Of Day For Women Golfers

The Oakland Women's Golf Association of the Oakland Golf Club selected "Even Count, 1/2 Handicap" as the play of the day last Thursday at the Oakland course.

Becky Glatfelter finished with a score of 37. Tied with a score of 38 were Bobbie Seward and Jessie Stowell, and Sandi Hackman carded a 45.

In nine-hole play, Ruth Kight finished with a score of 41.

## Fike and Albert Lead Rams To Win In Golf

The Southern Rams led by Seth Fike, who shot a 36, and Joe Albert, who shot a 41, squeezed by Northern with a team score of 177 at a four-team golf match at the Cumberland Country Club on Tuesday.

Leading Northern to a team score of 178 were Ed Heipel with a low of 42 and Zak Brosnihan with a 43. Travis Bothast shot a 42 and Drew Morgan a 43 for Fort Hill, while Madison Martin had a 49 for Allegany.

All four teams will compete in the Maryland IA West Region Tournament at Black Rock Golf Course in Hagerstown.

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## NHS Girls Still Undefeated; Defeat Mountaineers, Rams

The unbeaten girls' varsity soccer team of Northern High School, currently ranked first in the area standings, added two more Western Maryland Interscholastic League victories this past week, including a 3-1 defeat of visiting Beall last Thursday and a big 1-0 edge of county rival and once-beaten Southern Tuesday evening on the Rams' pitch.

The wins upped Coach John Milbourne's team's record to 4-0 overall and 3-0 in league play.

In Thursday's victory over Beall, freshman striker Adria Graham gave the Huskies the lead for good when she blasted a rebounding ball from point-blank range past the Beall keeper with 28:57 to play in the first half.

Sarah Voelkel followed with an unassisted goal from about 10 yards out at the 15:15 mark, which gave the Huskies a 2-0 halftime lead.

The Mountaineers cut the Huskies' lead in half about eight minutes into the second half of action with a goal by Shylar Phillips off a pass by Kierstin Stevenson.

Just moments later, Graham was brought down from behind in the penalty area, and Erin Brenneman

**NORTHERN (3)**  
**BEALL (1)**  
Northern 2 1 - 3  
Beall 0 1 - 1

**First Half**  
N - Adria Graham unassisted, 28:57.  
N - Sarah Voelkel unassisted, 15:15.

**Second Half**  
B - Shylar Phillips assisted by Kierstin Stevenson, 32:11.  
N - Erin Brenneman penalty kick, 30:27.

scored on her penalty kick. The Huskies were outshot by a 17-12 margin, and trailed in corner kicks, 5-2, but Milbourne credited both his offensive and defensive units for the team's success.

"We showed a lot of discipline in a physical game and got off a higher percentage of quality shots," Milbourne said, "plus Justine Harvey made some big-time saves in the goal, including one off a Beall free kick in the waning minutes that could have brought them within one."

The Northern junior varsity girls also remained undefeated (2-0), handing the Beall jayvees a 3-2 loss in the preliminary match.

Kara Savage scored a goal directly off a corner kick and had two assists for the Huskies. Emily Rosser and Susan Thatcher also scored for Northern, while keeper Brittany Mallow had six saves. Scoring for Beall were Jancis Durney and Emily Africa.

In Tuesday's clash with the Southern Rams, there was nothing but scoreless defense played until the late in the second half, when Adria Graham finally put the ball in the net for what would be the match-winner. The score came with just 7:20 left in the match.

The Huskies led the Rams in shots on goal, 19-7, and in corner kicks, 5-1.

**NORTHERN (1)**  
**SOUTHERN (0)**  
Northern 0 1 - 1  
Southern 0 0 - 0

**Second Half**  
N - Adria Graham unassisted, 7:20.



THE SCORE WAS 0-0 through over 80% of the soccer match played between the girls' varsity squads of Southern and Northern high schools Tuesday evening in Oakland. Finally, with just 7:20 left in the match, Northern freshman striker Adria Graham booted the ball in the net, ultimately giving the undefeated Huskies a hard-fought, 1-0 victory. Heading the ball in

the photo above is Northern's Megan Wiley. Other Huskies in the shot are Meghan Voelkel (#18) and Amy Lander. Southern players (in light jerseys) are Clarissa Blamble, left, and Lauren Shue (#17). Below, Blamble moves in to try to steal the ball from Northern's Megan Kinsinger. In the back is Kayla Petrella of Southern (#20). Photos by John McEwen.



Harvey recorded six for the Huskies.

Coach Milbourne said that the "tenacious play" of his defense was the key to the win.

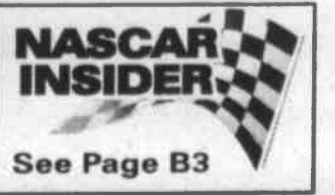
Southern also dropped a match to Fort Hill this past week. (See other story.)

The Northern junior varsity also kept its record perfect (3-0) in the preliminary match, as Susan Thatcher recorded a hat trick in a 4-2 victory over the Ram jayvees.

Nikki Diehl and Stephanie Shapiro each had an assist on two of Thatcher's goals, and her third was unassisted. Diehl also scored for Northern, while Brooke Baier and Marlena Kelly each scored one for the Rams.

Brittany Mallow had six saves for Northern, and Southern keeper Destinee Fulk turned away eight shots.

The Huskies are scheduled to host Westmar this Saturday, travel to Fort Hill next Tuesday, and play at Frankfort next Thursday.



## Southern Girls Edged By Fort Hill, Then Northern

It was a tough week on the soccer field for the Southern High School girls' varsity, as the Rams were topped 2-1 by host Fort Hill last Thursday in a Western Maryland Interscholastic League contest, and then dropped another one-goal WMIL match to county rival Northern, 1-0, Tuesday in Oakland.

The Rams are now 2-2 overall. The Rams took a 1-0 lead in the match against Fort Hill when Kerry Conroy scored an unassisted goal at the 16:47 mark of the first half.

Fort Hill's Kelsey Parker made it 1-1 when she put the ball into the Ram net off an assist by Cassie Donahue with 9:49 to play before intermission.

The Sentinels' winning goal came with 19:07 to play in the match when Carly Drake scored off a feed by Hannah Perry.

The victory upped Fort Hill's mark to 3-0 overall and 1-0 in WMIL play.

The Rams finished with a 13-12 edge in shots on goal, and were awarded 10

corner kicks, compared to just three for the Sentinels.

Southern keeper Jessica Petrella had five saves, and Rebecca Sander recorded six for Fort Hill.

The preliminary match ended in a 1-1 tie, with Marlena Kelly scoring an unassisted goal for Southern, and Katherine Huber scoring for the jayvee Southern off an assist by Kelsey Conroy.

Details of the Ram varsity's 1-0 loss to undefeated Northern on Tuesday appear in another story in this section.

Coach Sara Nawroth's Rams will travel to Westmar next Monday and host Allegany next Wednesday, with kickoff times being 8:30 (junior varsity) and 7 p.m. (varsity).

**FORT HILL (2)**  
**SOUTHERN (1)**  
Southern 1 0 - 1  
Fort Hill 1 1 - 2

**First Half**  
S - Kerry Conroy unassisted, 16:47.  
FH - Kelsey Parker assisted by Cassie Donahue, 30:11.

**Second Half**  
FH - Carly Drake assisted by Hannah Perry, 20:53.



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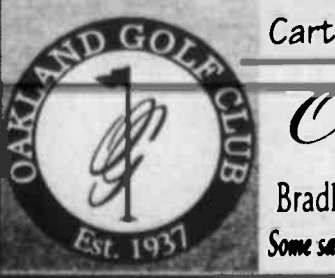
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## Husky Boys Coast To Easy 6-0 Victory Over Wildcats

Elijah Lais and Zak Beitzel each scored a pair of goals to lead the Northern High School boys' varsity to a 6-0 Western Maryland Interscholastic League defeat of visiting Westmar on Saturday.

The victory gave the Huskies a 4-1 record.

Northern's first goal was scored via a penalty kick by Lais at the 29:06 mark of the first half.

About 1 1/2 minutes later, Beitzel made it 2-0 with a goal off an assist by Zack Lipscomb following with a goal off a penalty kick at the 1:34 mark, and Lais scoring off a feed by Travis McFarland with just 20 seconds remaining.

NHS coach Lynn Lais credited his defensive unit, particularly the outstanding

play of Jeremy Beitzel, Justin Beitzel, and Zak Culp, for holding the Wildcats (0-2) to just one shot on goal, which was stopped by Husky keeper Zach Trautwein. In the five matches played so far by the Huskies, Trautwein has allowed a total of just three goals.

Getting nine saves for Westmar was Joel Workman.

The Huskies will go after win #5 in a noon match this Saturday at Greenway Avenue Stadium in Cumberland against Allegany. They will host Beall next Tuesday, and then attempt to avenge their only loss of the season next Thursday when they host Salisbury.

**Westmar 0 0 - 0**  
**Northern 3 3 - 6**

**First Half**  
N - Elijah Lais penalty kick, 29:06.  
N - Zac Beitzel assisted by Zack Lipscomb, 27:32.  
N - Beitzel assisted by Thomas Holtschneider, 1:27.

**Second Half**  
N - Daniel Wamick assisted by Beitzel, 2:19.  
N - Lipscomb penalty kick, 1:34.  
N - Lais assisted by Travis, McFarland, 20.

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## SHS Boys Defeat Fort Hill Before Being Edged By Alco

Splitting a pair of Western Maryland Interscholastic League matches this past week was the boys' varsity soccer team of Southern High School, as the Rams defeated visiting Fort Hill last Thursday, 4-2, but then dropped a 2-1 match to host Allegany on Tuesday.

The split left the Rams with an overall record of 3-4 and a WMIL mark of 1-3.

Ethan Chorpennig recorded a pair of goals for Southern in Thursday's win over Fort Hill, getting his first one off an assist by Alex Stuck less than five minutes into the match.

Michael Edwards upped the Rams' lead to 2-0 about 10 minutes later when he scored off a feed by Alan Gbegy.

The Sentinels came back to knot the score at 2-2, as Josh Felten connected for a goal off an assist by Dylan Brown at the 20:57 mark, and Garrett Apple scored on a penalty kick two minutes before intermission.

After over 20 minutes of scoreless defensive play in the second half, Chorpennig put the Rams back on top for good when he scored an unassisted goal at the 16:41 mark.

**SOUTHERN (4)**  
**FORT HILL (2)**  
Fort Hill 2 0 - 2  
Southern 2 2 - 4

**First Half**  
S - Ethan Chorpennig assisted by Alex Stuck, 35:39  
S - Michael Edwards assisted by Alan Gbegy, 25:17  
FH - Josh Felten assisted by Dylan Brown, 20:57  
FH - Garrett Apple penalty kick, 2:00

**Second Half**  
S - Chorpennig unassisted, 16:41  
S - Sean McCreery penalty kick, 2:00

Tacking on a penalty-kick goal with two minutes left was Southern's Sean McCreery.

The Rams finished with a 20-13 lead in shots and a 6-5 edge in corner kicks. Southern keeper Drew Proudfoot turned away nine of the Sentinels' shots, while John Means recorded seven saves for Fort Hill.

The loss dropped Fort Hill to 0-3-1 overall and 0-2-1 in WMIL matches.

The Southern junior varsity team was nipped in the preliminary match, 1-0, with Brad Tyler scoring a goal for the Sentinel jayvees off an assist by Casey Grove with just 1:56 to play in the match.

In Tuesday's match with Allegany the Rams took a 1-0 lead at the 33:29 mark of the first half when Michael Edwards scored unassisted.

Alco's Austin Persons tied the score about 7 1/2 minutes later, heading the ball into the net off a pass by Caleb Browning.

The score remained tied until the 28:32 mark of the second half when Chandler Stroup scored off a feed by Persons.

The other statistics were as close as the final score, with the Rams being outshot by a 20-19 margin, and each team getting four corner kicks.

**ALLEGANY (2)**  
**SOUTHERN (1)**  
Southern 1 0 - 1  
Allegany 1 1 - 2

**First Half**  
S - Michael Edwards unassisted, 33:29  
A - Austin Persons assisted by Caleb Browning, 26:01

**Second Half**  
A - Chandler Stroup assisted by Persons, 28:32

Proudfoot was credited with six saves for Southern, and Brett Ritchie had four for the Campers.

The Rams are slated to host Bishop Walsh in a 7 p.m. match next Monday, and then entertain Beall next Wednesday, with the junior varsity match kicking off at 5:30 and the varsity at 7 p.m.

## NG Vikings Lose Pair Of Matches, Win One, Tie One

In JCP Soccer League action this past week, the Northern Garrett II Vikings dropped a 2-1 match to visiting Washington Middle School East last Thursday,

was edged 1-0 by George's Creek on Saturday at Midland, rolled over Calvary Christian Academy, 7-2, on Monday at Cumberland, and then tied 2-2 with host Frostburg yesterday.

In the match against Washington Middle School East, the visitors took a 1-0 lead when Zach Steckman recorded an unassisted goal on a breakaway in the first half.

An unassisted goal by Michael Moyer in the 36th minute of the second half put WMS up 2-0. The Vikings finally got on the board about a minute later when Zach Beal scored off an assist by James Kelly, but that would be the final goal of the game.

Cody Brenneman had 17 saves for the Vikings, while James Johnson had six saves for WMS East.

Wasting little time to score for George's Creek in Saturday's match was Ronnie Baker, putting the ball in the net in the fourth minute of the first half. But the rest of the match was scoreless defense.

Brenneman had 17 saves for the Vikings, and Justin Shaw recorded 10 for George's Creek. The Vikings trailed in corner kicks, 5-3.

Zach finished with a hat trick in the 7-2 win over Calvary Christian Academy on Monday.

An unassisted goal in the 23rd minute of the first half by Alex Daniels gave the Vikings the lead for good. Beal then scored his first of three a minute later off an assist by Kelly, giving the Vikings a 2-0 advantage.

Beal scored his second goal of the day early in the second half off a feed by Daniels, after which Kelly

and Beal scored unassisted goals to give the Vikings a commanding 5-0 lead.

Calvary finally got on the board in the 43rd minute when Brandon Kendall scored unassisted.

An unassisted goal by Jared Fike made it 6-1, and Kendall followed a minute later with his second goal of the day for Calvary.

Adding an insurance goal for the Vikings late in the match was Cem Brandt off an assist by Cody Brenneman.

Brenneman turned away eight shots in goal for the Vikings, and Seth Wilson was credited with seven saves for Calvary. The Vikings led in corner kicks, 5-2.

The Vikings played again yesterday at Frostburg, and tied with their hosts, 2-2.

An unassisted goal 14 minutes into the match by James Kelly gave the Vikes a 1-0 lead, which was countered with an unassisted goal by Frostburg's Stephanie Fazzenbaker about nine minutes later.

Frostburg then took a 2-1 lead early in the second half when Zachary Saylor scored off an assist by Jacob Bittner, but Northern Garrett's Zach Beal knotted the score at 2-2 with a goal off a feed by Kelly.

Cody Brenneman was busy in the goal for the Vikings, as he recorded 24 saves, while Andrew Boch had seven for Frostburg. Each team finished with two corner kicks.

The Vikings, coached by Dean Daniels, are now 5-2-2.

In other JCP League action, Northern Garrett I fell to Frostburg, 5-0, on Monday. Scoring for Frostburg were Jacob Bittner (2), Andrew Boch, Stephanie Fazzenbaker, and Matthew Beeman. Austin Doerr had six saves for Northern Garrett.

## Mountaintop Youth Soccer Results Noted

The Mountaintop Soccer Association (MSA) recreational league's 2006 season is under way, with competition in the age divisions of under 6 (U-6), under 8 (U-8), under 10 (U-10), under 12 (U-12), and under 15 (U-15).

The results of matches played in the past week in the upper three age divisions are noted below.

**UNDER 10**  
**Saturday, Sept. 16**  
Uno's Thunder defeated FCSI Cyclones, 3-1.

(Another score in U-10 from Saturday was reported on the answering machine at *The Republican* newspaper but was inaudible.)

**Tuesday, Sept. 19**  
Railey Realty Lightning defeated Wood Products Hurricanes, 3-0.

**UNDER 12**  
**Saturday, Sept. 16**  
Markwood Family of Dealerships Fire defeated *The Republican* United, 4-3.

Totally Wireless Crew defeated RPM Construction Revolution, 6-1.  
Dr. Yant Dr. Longest Rapids defeated Regional Eye Center Mutiny, 4-3.

**Wednesday, Sept. 20**  
Regional Eye Center Mutiny defeated *The Republican* United, 5-2.

**UNDER 15**  
**Saturday, Sept. 16**  
Pineview Veterinary Hospital Blazers defeated Coldwell Banker Deep Creek Realty Jammers, 3-1.

Cornerstone Family Medicine Spirit defeated Watch Dog Security Rangers, 3-1.

**Tuesday, Sept. 19**  
Pineview Veterinary Hospital Blazers and Cornerstone Family Medicine Spirit tied, 2-2.

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## Sailboat Racing On Deep Creek Lake

### THE "SILVER PIPER" COMES TO DEEP CREEK LAKE

by Dan Mass

The "Silver Piper" Regatta is a Flying Scot Sailing Association (FSSA) sanctioned national event. It was started some years ago by Bob Neff, the ex-measurer of the FSSA, at the Selby Sailing Center on the South River, near Annapolis. It has been sailed at the Selby center since its inception, until this year when our local Deep Creek Yacht Racing Association (DCYRA) acted as host, with the Deer Haven and the Turkey Neck sailing clubs providing the facilities.

This regatta is an event for senior sailors like those of our Masters' Fleet. Its requirement has been that the skipper must be over 60 years of age. Starting next season the requirement will change to skipper over 60 and the total ages of skipper and crew over 120.

Frank and Geri Meehan from Deer Haven, helped by a large committee from both clubs, organized the regatta. The principal race officer (PRO) was Harry Carpenter, who ran the races from his chase boat, while his wife Karen and friends ran the committee boat. I had registered for the regatta, but Saturday morning I was laid low by a chest cold and had not the energy to go out. On Sunday I was able to get out to watch the action from by pontoon boat. There were 19 'Scots out there, with seven boats from off the lake. The PRO used a "gate" for the leeward mark. In the gate arrangement, there are two marks set about 30' apart, and competitors can go around either one. With a big fleet like this, the gate eases the crowding at the leeward mark.

Sunday was a lovely, early fall day with a west wind 3-7 knots. The PRO set the windward mark up in the mouth of Bull Run and the leeward mark off Poland Run. The line was mostly square, but about 15 seconds before the horn, there was a southerly shift and the pin was favored. Mahan was there. He tacked onto port and had the fleet. But within minutes, Ewing squirted out in front and he never lost the lead.

The Ewings are a formidable team (they won the Silver Piper last year). They bore off around the first windward mark toward the offset mark, and within a boat length of the offset mark, their spinnaker was up. As they bore off farther around the offset mark, the spinnaker was full. It was beautiful to watch.

Jim Munford was at the helm of Joni Palmer's boat with Joni crewing and probably giving Jim lots of good advice. They had come in first and second on Saturday,

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but were buried at the start of Sunday's race. I was amazed to see them finish fourth and hold second place overall, while the Ewings took first.

This is my last column of the 2006 season; I'll see you all next spring. Stay well!

Race Results (skipper/crew)

1. Bill/Eileen Ewing, 2. Jim Munford/Joni Palmer, 3. Dick Gregory/Jon Skoog, 4. Allen/Janie Gowans, 5. Jack/Martha Stewart.

## Heather Lander Still Undefeated; Player Of Week

Still undefeated in collegiate tennis this season is Garrett County student Heather Lander, who is a member of the also-unbeaten Elizabethtown College women's team.

Lander, a senior and a 2002 graduate of Northern High School, was also named the Commonwealth Conference women's tennis Player of the Week for the week ending Sept. 17. It is the first time in her career to receive the conference honor.

The previous week, Lander became only the second Elizabethtown player ever to reach the 100-career victory plateau.

Lander extended her win streak this past week, recording a singles win and a doubles victory in a match against Moravian College, which the Blue Jays won as a team, 6-3. She also gained a doubles win in a match against Albright College on Monday, as her team rolled over that squad, 9-0.

With the victories this

past week, Lander's personal career record is now 54-5 in singles, and 49-11 in doubles play, giving her a combined mark of 103-16.

Elizabethtown will play again today at home against Johns Hopkins University.

**CYAFB BOX SCORES**  
See story on Page A-13

**NORTHERN STEELERS (33)**

**D&D WILDCATS (0)**  
Northern 6 16 8 3-33  
D&D 0 0 0 0-0

N - Tyler Wilt 2 pass from Jacob Bosley (kick failed).  
N - Austin Tombley 2 run (Austin Tombley kick).

N - Kameron Kamp 50 interception return (Zach Meyers kick).  
N - Matt Thomas 6 run (Austin Tombley kick).

N - Austin Tombley 24 field goal.

**RIDGELEY RAMS (13)**

**NORTHERN STEELERS (12)**  
Ridgeley 0 0 0 6-7-13  
Northern 0 0 0 6-6-12

Fourth Quarter  
N - Cody Rodeheaver 12 pass from Patrick Sines (run failed).

R - Cullen Logsdon 4 run (run failed).  
Overtime  
N - Tyler Bittinger 5 run (run failed).

R - J.P. Twigg 12 pass from Savannah Hose (Logsdon pass from Hose).

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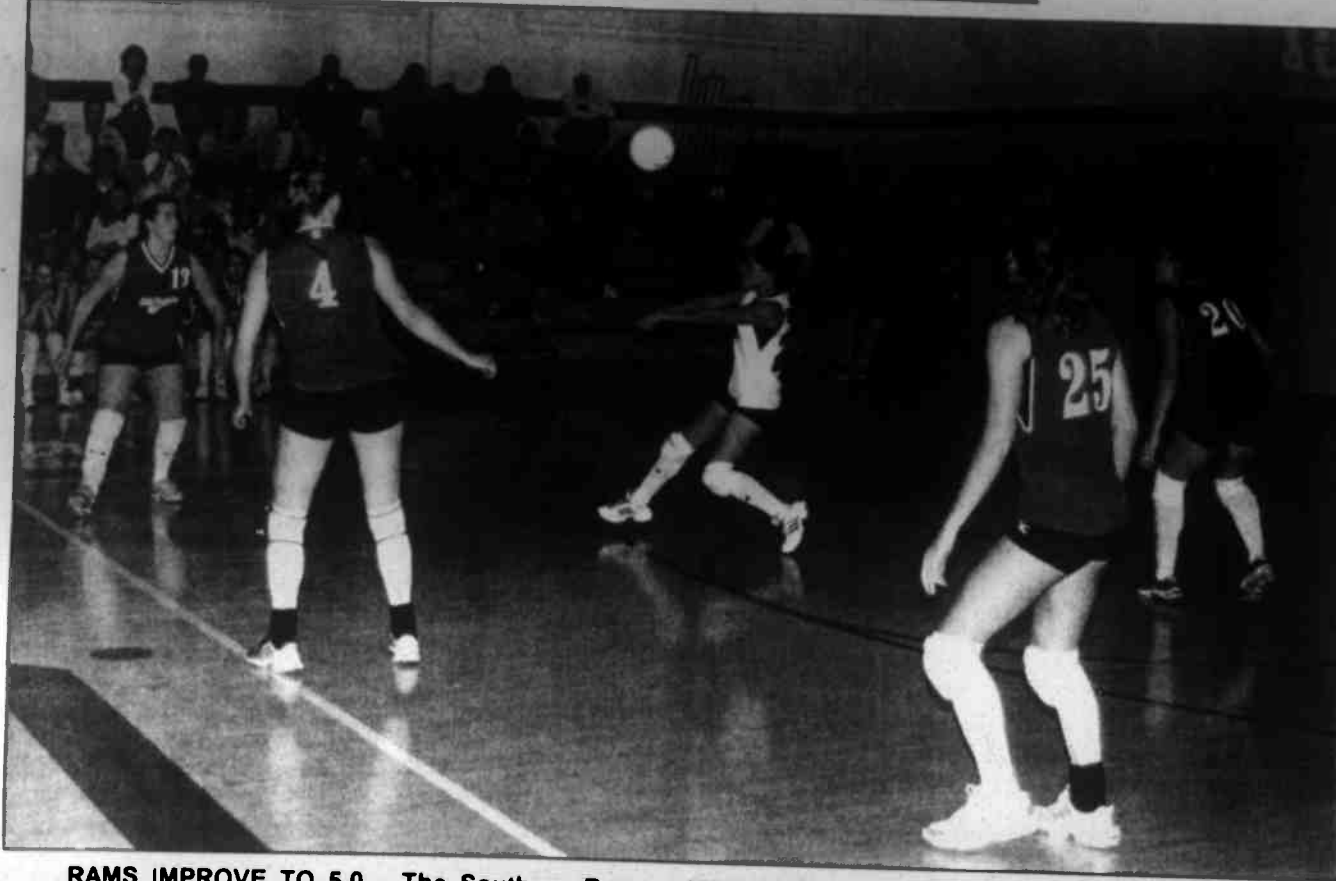
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**RAMS IMPROVE TO 5-0** - The Southern Rams girls' volleyball team remained undefeated after sweeping Westmar in three games, 25-6, 25-7, and 25-11, in a Western Maryland Interscholastic League match on Wednesday. Pictured above, from left, are Adrienne Yoder (#13), Alex Barnard (#4), Jade Ream

(#24) getting the bump, Sarah Stephens (#25), and Paula Renteria (#20). Below left, Shayna Sweitzer (#12) watches as Yoder (#13) whacks the ball over the net. Below right, Stephens (#25) leaps for the kill, as Barnard (#4), Sweitzer (#12), and Yoder (#13) support.



**THIS GIRLS HAVE HEART, BUT LOSE** - The Northern Huskies girls' volleyball team (0-4), still looking for its first win, lost to visiting Meyersdale in three games, 25-20, 25-15, and 25-4 Monday evening. Above, Northern's Leah Biser (#8) and Tanya Devine (#21) leap high to block the Red Raiders' attempt for a

kill. Supporting players are Nicole Opel (#26) and Jackie Rodeheaver (#10). Below, from left, Rodeheaver (#10) watches as Opel (#26) smacks the ball. Devine (#21), Nicole Espada (#17), and Biser (#8) provide backup support.



## Stephens Sets Mark In Rams Volleyball Win

Unbeaten Southern Rams girls' volleyball team blanked Beall and Westmar in two Western Maryland Interscholastic League matches, and Sarah Stephens broke the Southern High career record for kills in the Rams' three-game sweep of visiting Beall. Stephens had a double-double with 13 points, and 11 kills in leading the Rams to 25-6, 25-15, and 25-10 victories.

On her final kill of the evening, Stephens broke the school kill record of 262 set

by former record-holder Chelsea Wassell, now playing at Frostburg State University. Stephens finished the match with 13 service points, six aces, 11 kills, and two assists.

Adrienne Yoder also contributed a double-double with 10 points and 13 assists, Alex Barnard added 17 service points and two kills, and Paula Renteria had 10 points, six aces and five kills.

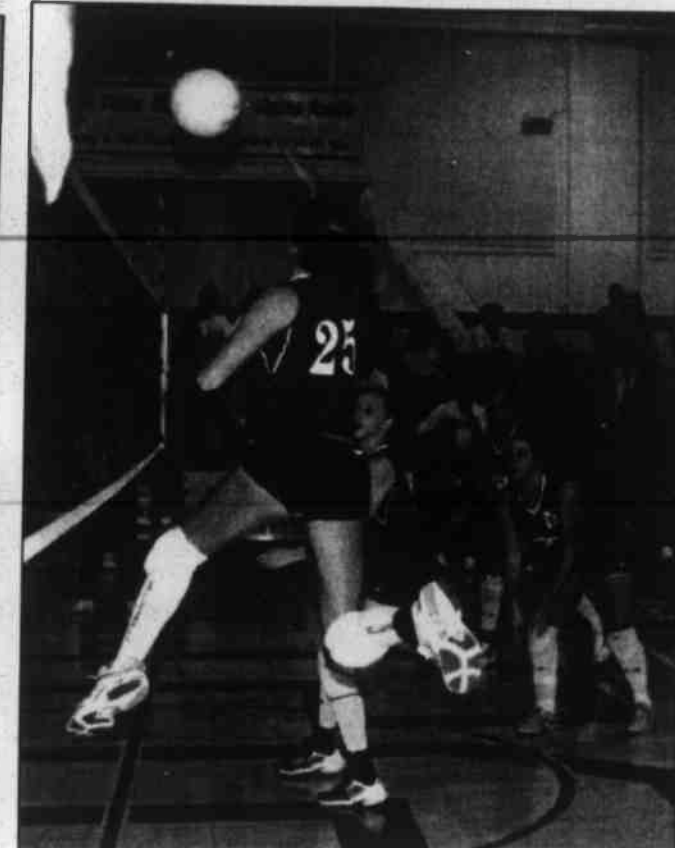
Kelsey Nightengale led Beall with four service points.

Southern won the jayvee match, 2-1. Emily Lipscomb lead the Rams with nine points, three aces, and three kills, and Marissa Aronhalt had 10 service points.

Kayla Ellsworth had a match-high 12 points for Beall. Southern will host Westmar on Wednesday. Beall hosts Northern on Thursday.

In a three-game sweep of Westmar, Sarah Stephens had 11 service points, nine aces, and nine kills as Southern won by scores of 25-6, 25-7, and 25-11, and improved its record to 5-0.

In the Rams' victory, Paula Renteria contributed 12 points, four aces, and nine kills, Alex Barnard added 12 points and six



## Northern Girls Still Looking For First Win

The Northern girls' volleyball team (0-4), still looking for its first win, lost to visiting Meyersdale in three games 25-20, 25-15, and 25-4 Monday evening.

Northern's Jackie Rodeheaver had five points, two kills, and two assists, Jessica Harvey five points and one kill, and Emily Sisler added five points in the losing effort. Northern will play again tonight at Fort Hill.

Meyersdale also won the junior varsity match, 25-21 and 25-4. Katie Umbel had five points and two aces, Courtney Humbertson four points and ace, and Bethany Shaw four points and two kills.

The Fort Hill Sentinels improved its record to 3-0 after sweeping Northern in three games, 25-10, 25-15, and 25-5, in a Western Maryland Interscholastic League match Tuesday, as Krysta Morral scored 30

points, including 23 in one game. She also had eight aces and four kills.

Jackie Rodeheaver and Emily Sisler had four points apiece for the Huskies.

The Fort Hill junior varsity also won, beating Northern in two games, 25-16 and 25-19. Tasha Dunlap had 16 points for the Sentinels and seven assists, while Alyssa Yost added six points and two kills. Bethany Shaw contributed seven points and two aces for Northern, while Katy Umbeck also got seven points.

## Bowling League Results Noted

**Week of September 11**  
Sunday Night Mixed League Standings: 1. Lillers Construction, 2. Bakers Four, 3. Whatever.

High Team Series: Par-Matt - 2151, Bakers Four - 2075, Slackers - 1846.

High Team Game: Par-Matt - 742, Bakers Four - 717, Lillers Construction - 676.

High Individual Series (Men): Teddy Inman - 626, Ed Giotfelly - 557, Travis Wyant - 543.

High Individual Game (Men): Teddy Inman - 223, Curt Giotfelly - 212, Jeff Baker - 205.

High Individual Series (Women): Nancy Giotfelly - 581, Billie Jo Baker - 474, Shirley Kahl - 451.

High Individual Game (Women): Nancy Giotfelly - 201, Billie Jo Baker - 183, Mary Liller - 170.

**Monday Ladies Skirts League**  
Standings: 1. What Ifs, 2. Pin Pals, 3. Sissy's.

High Team Series: What Ifs - 1374, Pin Pals - 1340, Alley Cats - 1260.

High Team Game: Pin Pals - 488, What Ifs - 486, Dames - 470.

High Individual Series: Pat Filsinger - 521, Tammy Mattingly - 504, Dawn Monihan - 493.

High Individual Game: Pat Filsinger - 196, Pat Head - 190, Tammy Mattingly - 189.

**Monday Mixed Doubles**  
Standings: 1. Travis & Jason, 2. Mike & Dale, 3. Larry & Curt.

High Team Series: Travis & Jason - 1152, Mike & Dale - 1079, Larry & Curt - 1032.

High Team Game: Travis & Jason - 439, Mary & John - 375, Mike & Dale - 373.

High Individual Series (Men): Travis Wyant - 587, Rodney Uphold - 566, Jason Skipper - 565.

High Individual Game (Men): Rodney Uphold - 235, Travis Wyant - 225, Jason Skipper - 214.

High Individual Series (Women): Becky Shahan - 514, Kathy Mattingly - 509, BJ Riggleman - 490.

High Individual Game (Women): Becky Shahan - 209, Kathy Mattingly - 183, BJ Riggleman - 170.

**Wednesday Civic**  
Standings: 1. Mel's Truck Service, 2. Longbranch Saloon, 3. Mtn. Area Antiques.

High Team Series: Longbranch Saloon - 2903, Beeghly Construction - 2658, Mel's Truck Service - 2597.

High Team Game: Longbranch Saloon - 1029, Beeghly Construction - 953, Mel's Truck Service - 893.

High Individual Series (Men): Jeff Meyers - 657, Mel Humberson (229 game) - 639, Kevin Biser (231 game) - 622.

High Individual Game (Men): Dave Simmons - 236, Jeff Meyers - 235, Rich Lewis - 235.

**Senior Citizens Thursday Rollers**  
Standings: 1. Cobras - We Strike Back, 2. Hot Dogs, 3. Aces.

High Team Series: Par-Matt - 1456, High Rollers - 1372, Hot Dogs - 1282.

High Team Game: Par-Matt - 513, High Rollers - 497, Hot Dogs - 471.

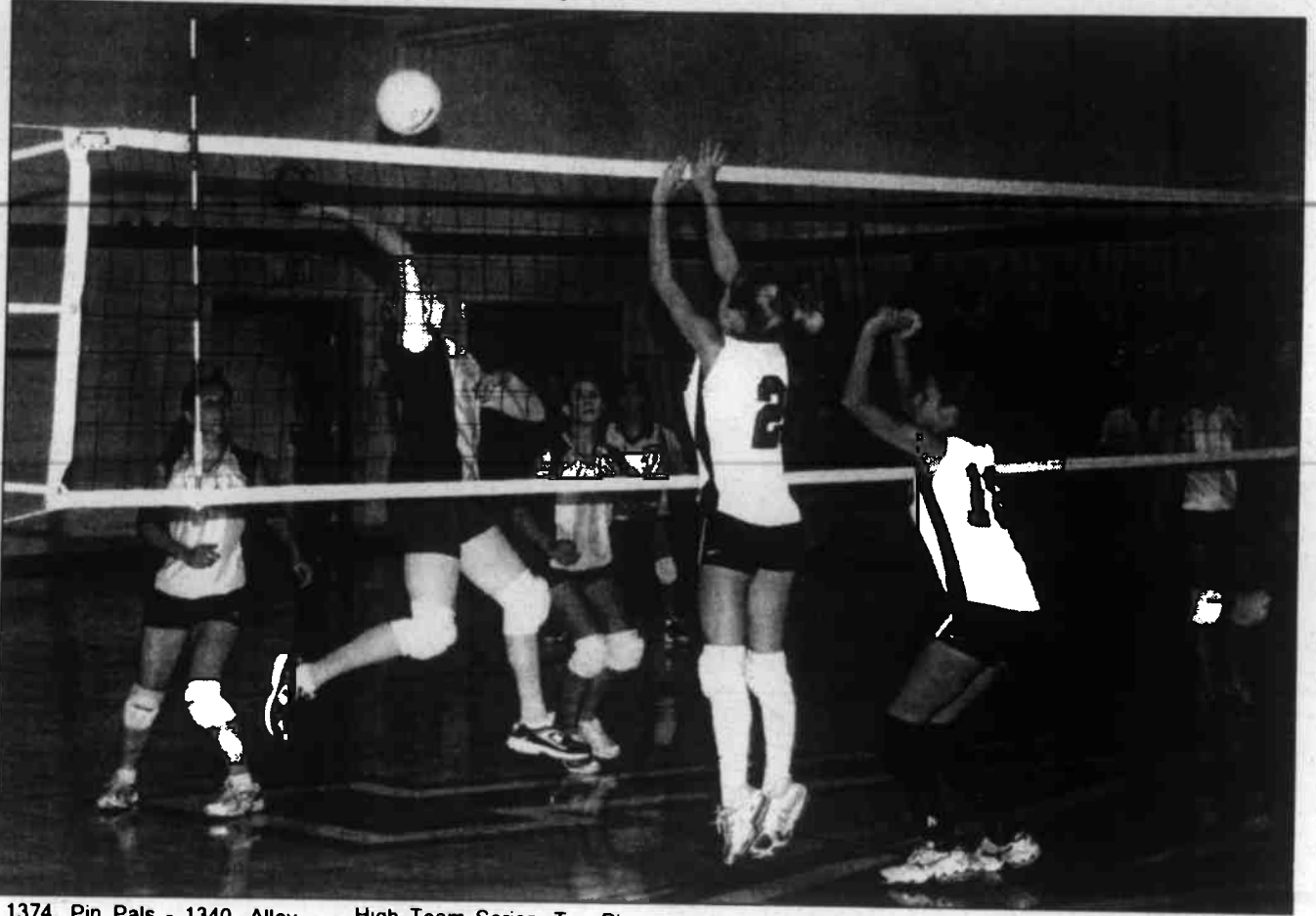
High Individual Series (Men): Jerry House - 537, Bob Lancaster - 531, Harold Murphy - 529.

High Individual Game (Men): Dick Gallagher - 224, Bob Lancaster - 192, Jerry House - 190.

High Individual Series (Women): Nancy Giotfelly - 547, Pat Filsinger - 500.

High Individual Game (Women): Nancy Giotfelly - 189, Geraldine Biser - 173, Pat Filsinger - 172.

**Thursday Night Mixed**  
Standings: 1. Ten Pin Men, 2. Try Again, 3. Git-R-Done



High Team Series: Ten Pin Men - 2775, Monumental - 2669, Sears - 2553.

High Team Game: Sears - 986, Monumental - 950, Ten Pin Men - 945.

High Individual Series (Men): Tim Upton - 665, Bob Sines (235 game) - 639, Zane Riggleman II (220 game) - 611.

High Individual Game (Men): Tracy Shahan - 264, Tim Upton - 253, Skippy Reckart - 243.

High Individual Series (Women): Sandy Fitzwater - 540, BJ Riggleman - 530, Sharon Rinker - 486.

High Individual Game (Women): BJ Riggleman - 199, Sandy Fitzwater - 193, Vera Sines & Sharon Collins (tie) - 192.

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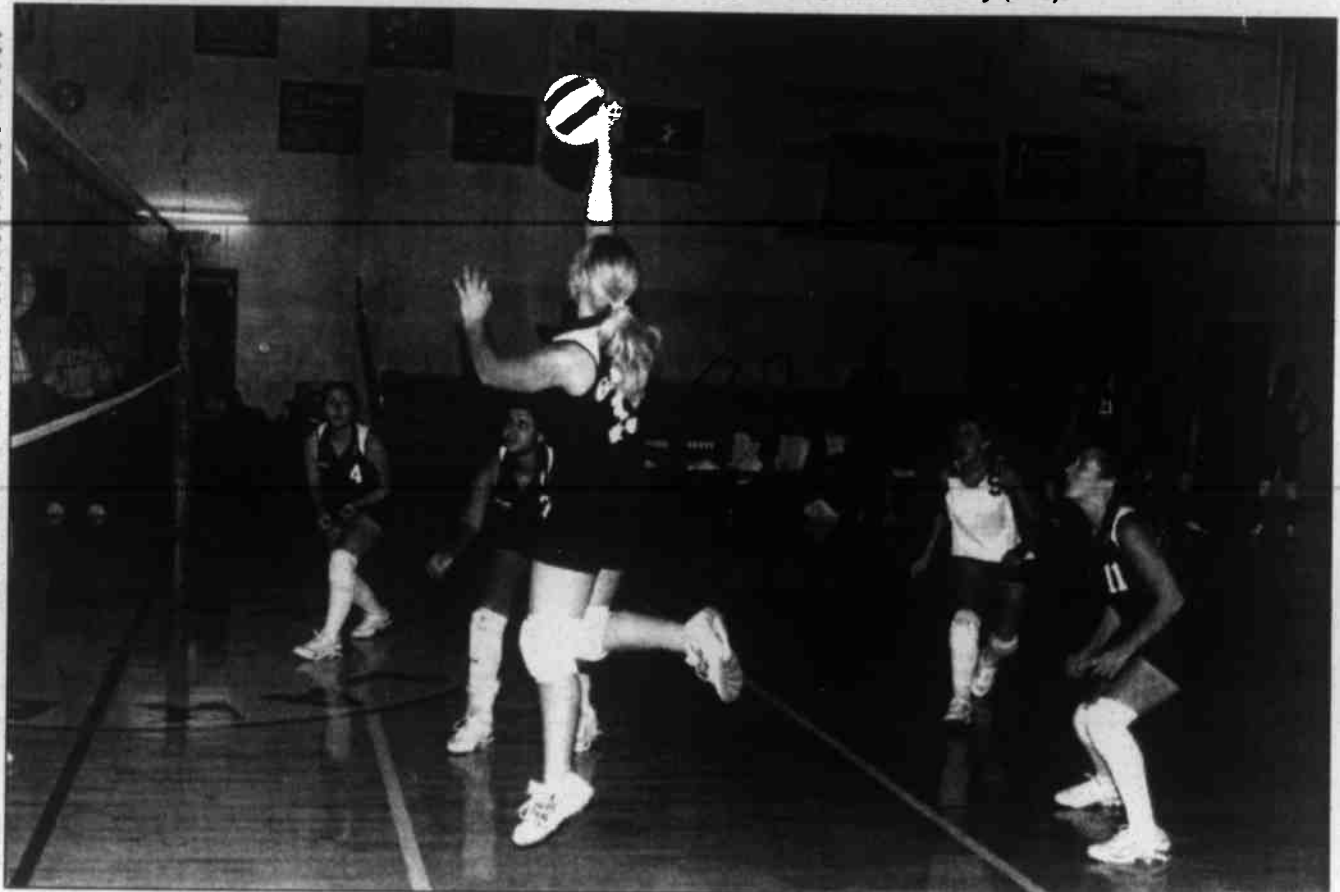
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**LAKERS WIN AT HOME** - The Garrett College women's volleyball team swept Harford in three games, 30-22, 30-22, and 30-20, in a Maryland JUCO Conference match at home. Pictured above, from left, are Gabrielle Vera (#2), Mindy Sharp (#21), former

Southern Ram Jenna Wagner (#5), and NHS alumna Dani Glotfelty (#11) getting the dig. Below, from left, are Southern High School graduate Julia Bosley (#4), Vera (#2), ex-Husky Jayme Miller (#10) hitting the ball, Wagner (#5), and Glotfelty (#11).



### Laker Women, Young In Experience, Big In Talent, Win Two, Lose Two

The Garrett College women's volleyball team beat Montgomery-Rockville 2-1, sweeping Harford in three games, and lost to Frederick Community College (FCC) and Allegany, bringing their record to 2-9 for the season.

The Lakers lost to FCC in three games, 30-26, 30-18, and 30-21, last Friday in a Maryland JUCO Conference match.

Gabrielle Vera was credited five kills and one ace, Taleah Workman added five kills and one dig, and Julia Bosley contributed two kills, three aces, and eight digs.

Jayme Miller had two aces and five digs, Eugene Carson had four kills and one block, Danielle Glotfelty had 11 assists, and Mindy Sharp had with two kills, two blocks, two digs, and one ace.

In a second match last

Friday, the Lakers beat Montgomery-Rockville 2-1, winning the first game 36-34, losing the second 27-30, and winning the third 15-11. The match was not on the Maryland JUCO master schedule.

Vera was credited with six kills, two aces, and two digs, Bosley had three kills, and five digs, Miller had one kill and seven digs, Glotfelty had 14 assists and two aces, and Sharp had eight kills, two aces, five digs, and five blocks.

The Lakers won again on Saturday, sweeping Harford in three games, 30-22, 30-22, and 30-20, in a Maryland JUCO Conference match at home.

Vera had four kills, one ace, and three digs, Bosley had 10 kills, two digs, and three assists, while Miller added two aces and nine digs.

Workman had eight kills, Glotfelty contributed 18 assists and two aces, Carson had five kills and seven blocks, and Sharp had four kills, four blocks, and five digs.

The Lakers lost on the road to Allegany in three games in a Maryland JUCO Conference match on Tuesday.

Vera had six kills, one ace, and eight digs, Bosley had three kills, one ace, and six digs, Miller added two kills and eight digs, Glotfelty contributed 15 assists, one kill, and one ace, Carson had four kills and three blocks, and Sharp was credited with nine kills, four blocks, two aces, and five digs.

Coach Ann Wellman said that of all the teams she had coached, this team had the most raw talent and overall ability. However, she said, "We make too many mental mistakes and are not consistent in our passing. The scores are not

indicative of our true ability." Although the team is young in experience, Wellman looks for great things to come as the team continues to mature, and passing is one of the areas of the Lakers' game in which she wants to see improvement.

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book show, musical concerts, a quilt show, art glass exhibits, outdoor adventures, and a wide variety of other activities.

The Official Maryland State Banjo Championship, Friday at 7 p.m., will feature Ronnie Reno and the Reno Tradition at Southern High School. Banjo contestants of all ages from a five-state area will compete for top honors.

Saturday, the Grand Feature Parade will begin at 1 p.m. in downtown Oakland. Clowns, floats, bands, and plenty of sidewalk vendors increase the festival atmosphere. Check out other musical entertainment at the Front Page Stage (Green Street), on Second Street near the post office, and at the box car at the train station.

That day also will feature the Western Maryland Tournament of Bands at 6 p.m. with high school field show competition, as well as the State Fiddle Championship and Mandolin Contest at 7 p.m., all at Southern High School.

Antique and craft shows continue Sunday, joined by the Autumn Glory Festival Car Show, Kirkin' of the Tartans, and a no-hands sundae-eating contest.

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### Runnin' Rams, Husky Boys Compete In Big Preston Meet

The competition was stiff in the Mtn. Top Combo cross country race, hosted by Preston High School in Kingwood on Saturday.

The Southern girls' team placed 14th among 20 teams, while the Southern boys' squad finished 15th among 21 teams, and Northern's boys had an incomplete score.

The best individual finish by a Southern girl was that of Sierra Wassell, who recorded a time of 23:13 and finished 43rd. Melinda Smith placed 58th in 24:28, followed by teammates Jennifer Cosner, 67th, 25:07; Kaitlyn Swift, 96th, 27:15; Hannah Davis, 97th, 27:19; Rachel Skipper, 98th, 27:27; and Katy Lucas, 108th, 29:17.

In the junior varsity girls' race, Southern's Sarah Ketter was 32nd, followed by Lindsey Thayer, 40th; Kelsie Umbel, 41st; and Erikah Lennox, 67th.

The Morgantown High girls won the team title with 64 points, followed by Cabell-Midland, Preston, and University to round out the top four.

The Southern boys were led by Mike McConnell, who placed 32nd with a time of 18:48. The rest of the Rams placed as follows: Tim Preston, 88th, 20:41; Joe Bever, 93rd, 20:51; Jimmy Sharpless, 96th, 21:00; Pat Sisler, 98th, 21:07; Jordan Skipper, 99th, 21:08; and Tyler Tasker, 118th, 22:48.

Northern's Ryan Bowser had the best time and finish among all Garrett County runners, as he placed fourth overall with a time of 17:37.

In the boys' junior varsity race, Tom Warnick placed 40th for Southern, followed by Cody Beckman, 64th; Seth Lewis, 108th; and Max Liller, 119th.

The Northern boys also competed in a tri-meet this

past week, placing third as a team behind Beall and Liberty.

The Huskies finished with 52 team points, while Beall won with 28, and Liberty recorded 42.

Beall's J.T. Carney was the fastest runner of the day, winning with a time of

17:32. Northern's Bowser was second in 18:01.

Other Huskies placing among the top 10 were Justin Beitzel in ninth and Elijah Lais in 10th.

The Rams will host the Broadford Invitational next Tuesday, beginning at 4:15 p.m.

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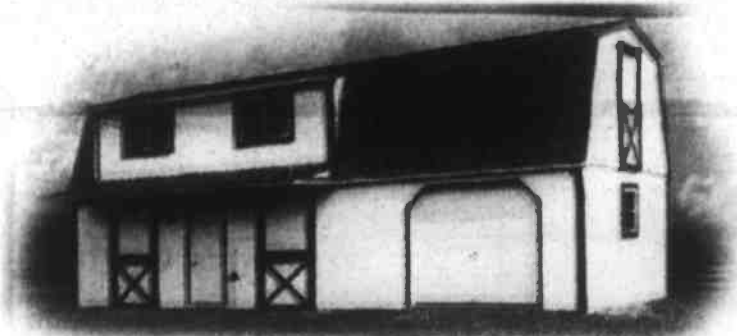
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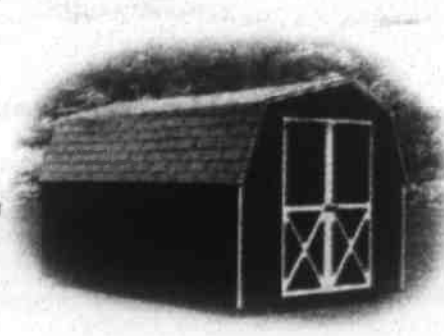
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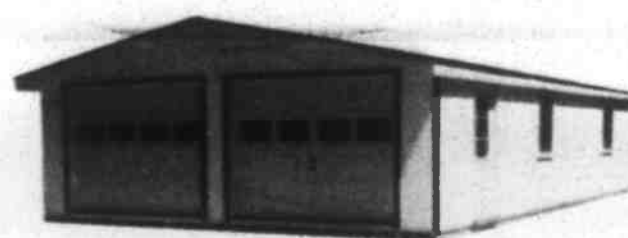
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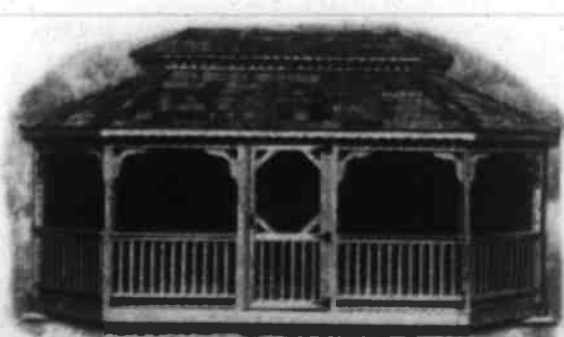


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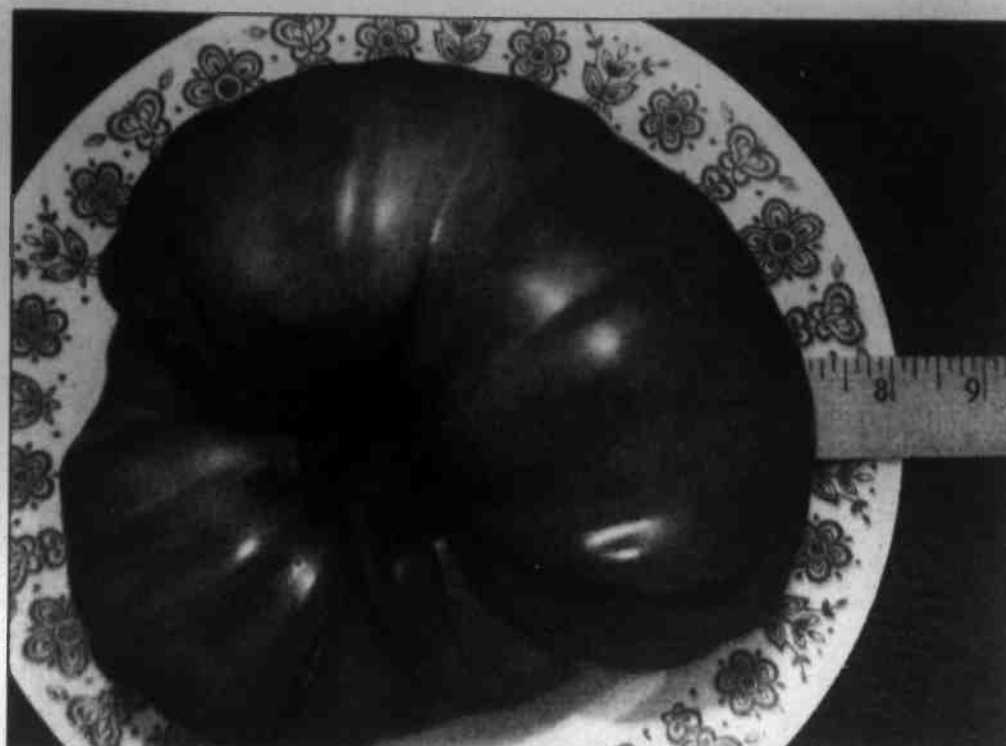


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**ONE ENORMOUS 'MATER!** This tomato, grown in the garden of Barbara and Kenneth "Fuzz" Shaffer in Loch Lynn, is one huge specimen. Weighing in at 3½ pounds, it is shown on a full-size dinner plate. The ruler proves its 7½-inch width, too. The Shaffers said they have several extra-large tomatoes this harvest season, but this one beat them all out. Perhaps they can make one pot of spaghetti sauce just with this one tomato. Willie Lantz of the Garrett County Extension Office said this specimen is indeed out of the ordinary, and might even constitute a county record. Photo by Carolyn Corley.

### Man Pleads Guilty To Trespassing, Gets 90 Days

David Wayne Welch, 44, Oakland, was given a 90-day jail sentence by Judge Jack Price Jr. after he pleaded guilty to trespassing on private property, according to court records.

Welch and his brother entered an Oakland home and did not leave the residence when a baby sitter asked them to do so.

Welch was not prosecuted by the district attorney for fourth degree burglary.

In other court news, Cory Joe McKenzie, 19, Grantsville, pleaded guilty to possession of marijuana and theft of less than \$100 of U.S. currency. For possession of marijuana, Judge Price handed Welch a probation before judgment (PBJ), one year of unsupervised probation, and a \$250 fine. For the theft charge, Price ordered Welch to serve 15 days in jail, to undergo one year of supervised probation, to pay a \$200 fine, and to make restitution of \$50 to Suburban Propane, according to court documents.

Members of the Garrett Bureau of Investigation executed a search and seizure warrant at the home of the defendant and recovered stolen property as well as a baggie containing the residue of marijuana, marijuana seeds and stems, and a marijuana pipe, according to court documents.

The recovery of the stolen items from the defen-

dant's home and the charge of theft were an end result of a police investigation of two vending machines that had been vandalized and robbed, according to court records.

The district attorney did not prosecute Welch on charges of possession of paraphernalia, malicious destruction of property of more than \$500 in value, and theft of items of less than \$500 in value.

Geoffrey Reams, 26, Mtn. Lake Park, pleaded guilty to possession of marijuana, and was ordered to serve one year of supervised probation

and pay a \$250 fine, according to court documents.

Police had gone to Reams's home, having received an alert about a possible suicide. Reams was transported to Garrett County Memorial Hospital after he spoke of killing himself because he hadn't received his disability check. The officers found an empty plastic bag that contained residue of marijuana and a smoking pipe in Reams's home, according to court documents.

Reams was evaluated and released from the hospital

and then transported to the Garrett County Detention Center.

Judge Price handed Scott Lawrence Karas, 21, State College, Pa., a PBJ, 12 months of unsupervised probation, and a \$250 fine after he pleaded guilty to possession of marijuana, according to court records.

Karas was stopped by a sheriff's deputy for speeding, and K-9 Bach, a certified drug detection canine, alerted officers to the presence of drugs. The police found marijuana and related paraphernalia in Karas's car.

The district attorney did not prosecute Karas on the charge of possession of paraphernalia.

John Daniel Tusing, 25, Mount Jackson, Va., was handed a PBJ, 12 months of unsupervised probation, and a \$250 fine after he pleaded guilty to possession of marijuana, according to court records.

Court documents indicated that Tusing was pulled over on August 4 for a routine traffic stop, and a drug detection canine alerted police to the presence of drugs in the vehicle, according to court records.

Tusing was not prosecuted for possession of controlled dangerous substance with the intent to distribute and CDS possession of paraphernalia.

Ramona Kay Schmidt, 54, Swanton, was given set

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rulings for conspiring to commit first-degree burglary, conspiring to steal items less than \$500 in value, and theft of items of less than \$500 in value, according to court records.

A first-degree burglary charge was dismissed by the court.

Rex A. Guthrie, 46, Kitzmiller, was given a set ruling by Judge Price on charges of possession of marijuana and possession of paraphernalia, court records indicated.

Guthrie was stopped by a Garrett County deputy sheriff for a traffic violation. The officer observed the driver attempting to hide something between his legs. In a search of the vehicle, both marijuana and para-

phernalia were discovered, according to court records.

Mary Frances Booker, 49, Oakland, was handed set rulings by the court for disorderly conduct, failure to obey a reasonable lawful order, and disturbing the peace by making a loud noise, according to court documents.

The charges stemmed from a domestic dispute that took place in Mtn. Lake Park. A deputy sheriff was at the residence when the incident occurred that led to the charges, according to court records.

**NOT PROSECUTED** Court records indicate that the state's attorney did not prosecute the following cases:

Angela Renee Tichnell, 19, Kitzmiller, was not prosecuted for CDS possession of marijuana and CDS possession of paraphernalia.

Jason Ryan Sines, 27, Oakland, was not prosecuted for stealing \$3,233.33 from Eagle Rock Construction.

Danny Ray Shiflett, 25, Terra Alta, W.Va., was not prosecuted for fourth-degree burglary and theft of property less than \$500. Shiflett allegedly stole an Xbox from an Oakland apartment.

Dana Lee Chapman, 38, Kitzmiller, was not prosecuted for disturbing the peace (making a loud noise), disturbing the peace, and two counts of second-degree assault. Chapman was Continued on Page B-4

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## In the name of pride

'Junior' feels good  
about family legacy  
and his link to it

By JEFF HOOD  
Cox News Service

Loudon, N.H. The shadows inevitably will lengthen as Dale Earnhardt Jr. continues his quest for his first Nextel Cup championship.

For Earnhardt Jr., conquering the Chase for the Nextel Cup would place him in rarefied air and in a select company of NASCAR's elite.

But in the eyes of many, nothing short of a title will pull the third-generation driver out of the shadow cast by his late father, Dale Earnhardt, who captured a record-tying seven series championships.

Hearing and reading the comparisons to his father has become a way of life for the 31-year-old driver. "I like being compared to him like, 'Hey, you drive like him, that looks like him or you sound like him,'" said Earnhardt, who finished 13th in Sunday's Sylvania 300 and is seventh in the Chase standings entering this week's Dover 400. "But I don't like to be compared to him as, 'He won seven championships and you didn't win any.'"

"Those kind of comparisons aren't very pleasing. But he was great. And I'm fortunate to have followed his footsteps a little bit to be in the position I am today."

If Earnhardt wins this year's Chase, retired three-time Cup champion and NASCAR analyst Darrell Waltrip believes the actual impact will be felt at Dale Earnhardt Inc., the organization that Earnhardt Sr. founded prior to his death in



Third-generation driver Dale Earnhardt Jr. got off to a slow start in the Chase, finishing 13th at New Hampshire, which put him seventh in the standings.

2001. "I've never looked at it as if Dale Jr. is following in his dad's footsteps," Waltrip said. "Dale Jr. is his own man and even has a different driving style than his father."

"I do, however, think winning a championship would give DEI a lot of credibility." A late-race crash with Carl Edwards in October 2004 at Atlanta Motor Speedway derailed Earnhardt's most recent hopes for a title.

Earnhardt subsequently spent much of 2005 struggling through a dismal season that saw him plummet to 19th in the championship standings after an early season crew chief swap with then-teammate Michael Waltrip flopped.

When the chemistry between Earnhardt and new pit boss

Pete Rondeau failed to jell, veteran crew chief Steve Hmiel took over in May and guided the team to its only victory at Chicagoland Speedway.

"My confidence got down about halfway through the season last year," Earnhardt admitted last weekend. "But Steve Hmiel fixed that and turned me into a better race car driver."

Hmiel, who serves as DEI's technical director, said he simply put faith in a talented driver.

"Probably the biggest single thing we did was challenge Dale Jr. quite a bit," said Hmiel, recalling their July 2005 victory. "He took control of that race in Chicago on a two-tire stop and used his track position. He hung out and won the race."

"That was a great boost for him. I just always had confidence that Dale Jr. is a great driver and he can handle any situation we put him in. We put him in a tough situation that day, and he handled it wonder fully and won the race."

When the field was set for last year's Chase at Richmond in September, Earnhardt was noticeably absent. Whispers began circulating that Earnhardt was overrated.

The following week at Loudon, N.H., Earnhardt was reunited with first cousin and former crew chief Tony Eury Jr. The pressure was back on the Earnhardt-Eury tandem, which had won 13 Cup races from 2000-2004.

"I knew when I got back with Tony Jr. it was pretty much going to be expected among the NASCAR community that we would run well again," said Earnhardt, voted NASCAR's most popular driver for the past three years.

"You just kind of had to back up those expectations."

Twelve months after their reunion, Earnhardt and Eury are back in championship form. Earnhardt started 13th at New Hampshire, but quickly charged through the field on Sunday to run as high as third before losing the handle on his Chevrolet during the closing laps.

The third-generation driver returns to Dover on Sunday, a track where he won in September 2001.

"I don't think he expects to be what his daddy was," Eury said. "When he first started this deal, he wanted to be successful, win races and win championships."

"I don't think he's trying to outdo his daddy, or anything like that. He just wants to have a good career."

Jeff Hood's  
OBSERVATIONS

Some key storylines as the Cup Series heads to Dover:

## Fast start

After failing to qualify for the Chase for the Nextel Cup during the past two seasons, Kevin Harvick is now positioned to give Richard Childress Racing its first Cup title since 1994.

Harvick's victory in Sunday's Sylvania 300 at New Hampshire International Speedway propelled him from third to first in the standings. It was Harvick's second consecutive victory and the fourth of the season.

"This roll is incredible," said Harvick, who sits atop the points lead for the first time in his career heading into Sunday's Dover 400. "The whole year has been phenomenal. If it ended right now, I think we would be happy and know we have really improved upon where we were in the past. Right now, we are having fun and trying to race to win."

## Off to a slow start

A Lap 89 encounter with Sterling Marlin sent Jimmie Johnson's No. 48 Chevrolet into the Turn 2 wall in Sunday's Sylvania 300 and left the two-time series runner-up in a major hole with nine races remaining in the Chase.

"We can look at it in a variety of ways," said Johnson, ninth in the standings and 139 behind leader Kevin Harvick. "We have worked awfully hard. Hopefully, this won't keep us from being the champion when it is all said and done."

## Taking in the spotlight

The 10 drivers in the Chase for the Nextel Cup championship participated in a two-day media tour in New York City last week. The highlights included an appearance on "The Late Show with David Letterman."

Mark Martin, who is expected to retire from full-time Cup competition at the end of this season, said he made a conscious effort to soak in the atmosphere.

"It was the best trip ever," Martin said. "NASCAR and Nextel officials really had it organized well and timed and spaced well. Of course, it's probably my last trip up there for something like that, so I enjoyed it, rather than maybe trying to rush through it so I could get somewhere else. It was a good trip. I enjoyed it."

Jeff Gordon, who previously maintained a residence in New York, said he always enjoys visiting the Big Apple. "We're so busy and we're all traveling all the time. Rarely do you get together at one time. One story would lead to another story. It was a great time. All of us enjoyed it," he said.

## Eye on the future

Roush Racing's Greg Biffle finished second in last year's championship standings. After failing to qualify for this year's Chase, the best the fourth-year driver can wind up is 11th.

Biffle said he and crew chief Doug Richert already are focusing on the 2007 season.

"We're going to probably switch a few crew guys around and possibly bring some more guys on the road," Biffle said. "Obviously, we're trying some different stuff. We're talking about bringing some different suspension stuff and a brand new car that's out of the wind tunnel that we've never raced before."

"We're going to race it probably at Kansas without testing it, which is unusual for us because we don't know what to expect. If we were in the Chase, we probably wouldn't do that."

## Close call for Kahne

Despite winning five races during the Nextel Cup 26-race regular season, Kasey Kahne nearly missed qualifying for the Chase.

Although there has been some discussion that NASCAR is considering awarding additional points to race winners, Kahne doesn't necessarily think the current system needs to be adjusted.

"The way I look at it, I don't care what they do with the points," Kahne said. "That's up to NASCAR. We weren't consistent enough for about six weeks there, and it dropped us to 11th in points. We got good in the last four races and got back [in the Chase]."

## Something about Mary

Rookie and Chase driver Denny Hamlin said there's plenty of evidence why his mother, Mary Lou Hamlin, is his biggest fan.

"You hear about soccer moms, but she's a racing mom," the 25-year-old Hamlin said. "She has it in the worst way. She's a person whose TV is slam full of anything that says NASCAR, hoping she hears my name once or twice. She's just a nut. I guess she just loves her boy."

Catching up with ...

## Matt Kenseth

Matt Kenseth, the 2003 Nextel Cup champion, entered this year's Chase for the Cup as the top seed. He spoke recently with reporters, including Jeff Hood of Cox News Service, about the Chase and life in the fast lane:

Q: What are your thoughts on the five 1.5-mile tracks in the 10-race Chase?

A: If I could pick all the tracks, I'd probably do it different just for selfish reasons. You'd pick wherever you run good at, and that's where you'd go every week. But I think if you look at it from an average of all the kind of tracks we run at, I think it's a really good mix.

There are some 1.5-mile tracks in there, but they are certainly different. I think it's a good mix. You've got a little short track like Martinsville and a plate race with Talladega, a real flat mile like Loudon [New Hampshire] and a high-banked mile like Dover. It represents what we do pretty well.

Q: How do you feel being one of just three drivers to qualify for the Chase for each of the past three years?

A: Yeah, I think that's pretty cool. But I don't want to get too wrapped up in making the Chase because trying to win the championship is the ultimate goal. I've got a great team and I've always been fortunate through my career to have a great team behind me, which is all the difference. I feel good about that.

It was pretty cool that we made it in last year. I didn't think it looked like we were going to make it last year until about five or six weeks before Richmond, so that was a big accomplishment for us. We've been pretty solid this year and that feels good, but it's real important for me to try to figure out how to finish it off the last 10 as well.

Q: How do you balance sponsor responsibilities and racing?

A: "It doesn't always work out, but I try to balance my schedule the best I can, and I actually have done pretty good at it so far to get some time off these last 10 weeks during the season. I actually have a fair amount of time off right now in the next 10 weeks. I try to do that because the sea



son starts and everybody is all fired up and ready to go and you don't mind being gone every day of the week and doing appearances and all kinds of stuff.

But as the year goes on and it drags on a little bit, you kind of get ready for a little rest and a little break and kind of get away from it a little bit.

So, I tried to manage the schedule a little bit so I had some time to relax here in the last 10. I was hoping it was going to be busier at the track and media-wise and all that, so with that hope, I tried to leave some room during the week to wind down a little bit.

Q: How would you assess teammate Mark Martin's chance to win the Chase?

A: "Obviously, Mark, over the years, has proven he's very good at accumulating points and not making mistakes and being solid in the standings all through his career."

I think he's got a shot. I don't think they've performed as well as maybe a few of the other cars that are in the Chase, but certainly Mark is smart. They've been very solid. They've run real competitive and real solid all year, so anything can happen.

NUMERICALLY  
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The number of fans expected to jam Dover International Speedway for Sunday's Nextel Cup Dover 400.

24 The degree of banking in the turns on the 1-mile Dover oval.

19

Matt Kenseth's starting position when he won the Neighborhood Excellence 400 at Dover in June (ninth).



NASCAR

11 The number of times in Dover track history the Cup race winner has lapped the field.

What ever happened to ...

## Mike Dillon

Mike Dillon, 41, is best known as the driver of the No. 72 Detroit Gaskets Chevrolet in the Busch Series in the late 1990s. Dillon, whose father-in-law is Richard Childress, has spent much of the past decade testing cars for Richard Childress Racing. Dillon, who was promoted to vice president of competition at RCR at the end of 2004, spoke recently with Jeff Hood of Cox News Service about his role in the sport of NASCAR:

On his driving accomplishments: "I didn't have a whole lot of success in the Busch Series. I won some big races in Late Models. I guess getting the opportunity to drive the No. 3 car at Darlington for Dale [Earnhardt], in a relief role in 1997 and doing what they needed there would have to be one of the highlights. And I got to do a lot of testing for RCR. We sat on the pole with some of the cars I tested. We ran well and had opportunities to win some Busch races, but made some mistakes along the way there. I think, more than anything, I learned a lot, especially with the No. 72 car, because I helped run the team and worked every day in the shop with the guys."

On having two cars in the Chase: "I'm not one that believes in one person taking credit for something as big as Richard Childress Racing, or this sport. It's a team. There are 370 people on



NASCAR

Richard Childress Racing employee Mike Dillon says improved communication has helped RCR achieve success in 2006. Childress driver Kevin Harvick is shown above leading Jeff Gordon en route to victory last week at New Hampshire.

this team. And it's broken down into six individual teams, three Busch and three Cup. But over all, we're all one big group. I think what we've done basically is just work on our communication and got people believing in one another."

On having sons in racing: "For no more experience than they have, they're doing very well. They were always into the stick-and-ball sports and had a lot of success in that. We didn't push them. We didn't think that they would do this. Then they decided they wanted to try racing. And they took off with it. They've been a pleasant surprise. They've actually gotten into it and are working on the cars."

## STANDINGS

## NEXTEL CUP

Following the Sylvania 300

1. Kevin Harvick, 5,230; previous: 3
2. Denny Hamlin, 5,195; previous: 5
3. Matt Kenseth, 5,189; previous: 1
4. Jeff Gordon, 5,180; previous: 9
5. Jeff Burton, 5,166; previous: 8
6. Mark Martin, 5,155; previous: 7
7. Dale Earnhardt Jr., 5,149; previous: 6
8. Kasey Kahne, 5,120; previous: 10
9. Jimmie Johnson, 5,091; previous: 2
10. Kyle Busch, 5,084; previous: 4

Cup next up: Dover 400; Dover International Speedway  
TV: 12:30 p.m. ET Sunday, TNT

Busch next up: Dover 200; Dover International Speedway  
TV: 3 p.m. ET Saturday, TNT

Truck next up: Smith's Las Vegas 350; Las Vegas Motor Speedway  
TV: 9 p.m. ET Saturday, Speed Channel

5,084; previous: 4

## BUSCH SERIES

1. Kevin Harvick, 4,460; previous: 1
2. Carl Edwards, 3,841; previous: 2
3. Denny Hamlin, 3,801; previous: 3
4. Clint Bowyer, 3,615; previous: 4
5. J.J. Yeley, 3,558; previous: 5

Busch next up: Dover 200; Dover International Speedway

## TRUCK SERIES

1. Todd Bodine, 2,784; previous: 1
2. Johnny Benson, 2,660; previous: 2
3. David Reutimann, 2,521; previous: 3
4. Rick Crawford, 2,469; previous: 5
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 22 DragonflyTV  
 23 AIR: America's Investigative Reports (Mon)  
 24 BBC World News (Tue-Thu)  
 25 White House Chronicles (Fri)  
 26 Little McGraw  
 27 Still Standing  
 28 Pardon the Interruption  
 29 The Sports List (Tue)  
 30 Drake & Josh  
 31 Movie (Fri) "Jaws 2"  
 32 Cash Cab  
 33 The Suite Life of Zack & Cody (Mon)  
 34 Life With Derek (Tue)  
 35 That's So Raven (Wed)  
 36 Sister, Sister (Thu)  
 37 That's So Raven (Fri)  
 38 Home Improvement  
 39 Yu-Gi-Oh! GX (Mon-Thu)  
 40 King of the Hill (Tue)  
 41 Married... With Children (Thu-Fri)  
 42 Redline TV (Wed)  
 43 Racing Across America (Thu)  
 44 E-Force (Wed)  
 45 The Andy Griffith Show  
 46 Flip That House  
 47 Judge Alex  
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Pacific: The Lost Evidence (Thu)  
 Shootout! (Fri)  
 2004 World Series of Poker (Mon)  
 Beat of Mike and Mike in the Morning (Tue, Thu-Fri)  
 NFL Primetime (Mon)  
 SportsCenter (Tue-Fri)  
 FSN Baseball Report (Fri)  
 Law & Order  
 Lou Dobbs Tonight  
 Ned's Declassified School Survival Guide  
 Movie (Mon) "Sleeping With the Enemy" (Tue) "What About Bob?" (Wed) "Jaws 3" (Thu) "It Takes a Thief" (Fri) "That's So Raven" (Mon)  
 Phil of the Future (Tue)  
 Hannah Montana (Wed)  
 The Suite Life of Zack & Cody (Thu)  
 Life With Derek (Fri)  
 Cold Case Files (Mon, Wed-Fri)  
 Investigative Reports (Tue)  
 Seinfeld  
 Xisalon Showdown  
 Special Report  
 Stargate SG-1 (Mon-Wed)  
 Movie (Thu) "Post Impact" (Fri)  
 Night Stalker (Fri)  
 World's Wildest Police Videos  
 Law & Order: Criminal Intent (Mon, Wed, Fri)  
 Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (Tue, Thu)  
 King of the Hill  
 Stargate: Hell on Wheels (Mon)  
 Is It Real? (Tue)  
 The Final Report: DC Sniper Case (Wed)  
 Naked Science (Thu)  
 Cats: The Dark Side (Fri)  
 Tucker  
 Lucas Oil on the Edge (Mon-Wed)  
 Kyle Petty's Charity Ride Across America (Fri)  
 Billiards (Mon)  
 Soul of a Champion (Tue)  
 Strongman (Wed)  
 College Football (Thu)  
 Hunting Unholy (Fri)  
 Case "Go Dark" Event (Mon)  
 Good Times (Tue-Fri)  
 Dharma & Greg  
 While You Were Out  
 Celebrity Sibling Showdown (Mon)  
 Parla: Most Shocking Town (Tue)  
 Maxim Hot 100 (Wed)  
 I Love the '80s Strikes Back (Thu)  
 100 Most Wanted Bodies (Fri)  
 6:30 pm (Sat) ABC's World News With Charles Gibson  
 CBS Evening News With Katie Couric  
 Judge Alex  
 Home Improvement  
 Around the Horn (Tue-Fri)  
 The Fantasy Show (Thu)  
 Savran on SportsBeat  
 Avatar: The Last Airbender  
 The Suite Life of Zack & Cody  
 Seinfeld  
 Codename: Kids Next Door  
 King of the Hill (Mon, Wed-Fri)  
 That '70s Show (Tue)  
 The Bill Engvall Show (Mon-Wed)

SATURDAY MORNING								SEPTEMBER 23, 2006							
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CBS	(12:00) NFL Today Host James Brown (Live)	NFL Football: Cincinnati Bengals at Pittsburgh Steelers	Concert: The Roots	Engels at Pittsburgh Steelers	Hertz Field (Live)			(2) Extra Point (NFL Postgame) (N)		(2) The Nightly Sports Show: Special Edition (5) Mountain Biking: King of the World Championships	(2) News Channel 5	(2) News Channel 5	(2) News Channel 5
WTAE	The Replacements	Preview	Paid Program	Paid Program	Baseball—Who's Got Game?	Paid Program	Paid Program	"The Almost Perfect Bank Robbery" (1999) An FBI agent tries to make sure that a bank teller and her ex-boyfriend do not get away with robbery.	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Cold Squad (In Stereo)	First Deadly Sin (In Stereo)
NBC	(12:00) Business 1st Chris Matthews (N)	(11:00) The Press (N)	(11:00) The Press (N)	(11:00) The Press (N)	(11:00) The Press (N)	(11:00) The Press (N)	(11:00) The Press (N)	(11:00) The Press (N)	(11:00) The Press (N)	(11:00) The Press (N)	(11:00) The Press (N)	(11:00) The Press (N)	(11:00) The Press (N)
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FOX	For NFL Sunday	For NFL Sunday	For NFL Sunday	For NFL Sunday	For NFL Sunday	For NFL Sunday	For NFL Sunday	For NFL Sunday	For NFL Sunday	For NFL Sunday	For NFL Sunday	For NFL Sunday	For NFL Sunday
PBS	(12:00) The War That Made America	(12:00) The War That Made America	(12:00) The War That Made America	(12:00) The War That Made America	(12:00) The War That Made America	(12:00) The War That Made America	(12:00) The War That Made America	(12:00) The War That Made America	(12:00) The War That Made America	(12:00) The War That Made America	(12:00) The War That Made America	(12:00) The War That Made America	(12:00) The War That Made America
WGN	(12:00) To Be Announced							Framework With Dr. Nicholas DeNubille				To Be Announced	
PBS	Home Videos	America's Funniest Home Videos (In Stereo)	MLB Baseball: Seattle Mariners at Chicago White Sox	U.S. Cellular Field	In	Even Stevens	Lizzie McGuire	America's Funniest Home Videos (In Stereo)					
LIFE	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural
HST	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural
ESPN2	Baseball Tonight	NHRA Drag Racing: Sprintman Series	2006 World Series of Poker: From Las Vegas	2006 World Series of Poker: From Las Vegas	2006 World Series of Poker: From Las Vegas	2006 World Series of Poker: From Las Vegas	2006 World Series of Poker: From Las Vegas	2006 World Series of Poker: From Las Vegas	2006 World Series of Poker: From Las Vegas	2006 World Series of Poker: From Las Vegas	2006 World Series of Poker: From Las Vegas	2006 World Series of Poker: From Las Vegas	2006 World Series of Poker: From Las Vegas
ESPN	NFL Countdown	The Contender	Billiards: Ultimate Pool Party—Final	PGA Golf: Valero Texas Open—Final Round	San Antonio (Live)	Baseball Tonight (Live)							
FSP	Sports Talk	Chris Myers	The Weekly Update	Inside Poker	Paid Program	Paid Program	Inside-Pirates	MLB Baseball: Pittsburgh Pirates at San Diego Padres	PETCO Park (Live)				
TNT	NASCAR Pre-Race	NASCAR Racing	Nestle Cup—Dover 400	From Dover, Del. (Live)				*** "KIM BIL: Vol. 1" (2003) Action! Uma Thurman assassin seeks vengeance against her attackers					
CNN	Live Edition	This Week at CNN	Nicktoons Present	In the Money				CNN Live Sunday					
NICK	Danny Phantom	Thomby: Hey Arnold!	Nicktoons TV	Nicktoons TV	Nicktoons TV	Nicktoons TV	Nicktoons TV	Nicktoons TV	Nicktoons TV	Nicktoons TV	Nicktoons TV	Nicktoons TV	Nicktoons TV
A&E	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural
TDC	Engineering	MythBusters: Favorite shopping locations	MythBusters: Boom! Lit Catastrophe	MythBusters: Archduke Death Ray	Naturally, Sadio	Phil of the Future	Phil of the Future	MythBusters: Drop Sister	MythBusters: Drop Sister	MythBusters: Drop Sister	MythBusters: Drop Sister	MythBusters: Drop Sister	MythBusters: Drop Sister
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TBS	Full House	Full House	Full House	Full House	Full House	Full House	Full House	Full House	Full House	Full House	Full House	Full House	Full House
FAM	Full House	Full House	Full House	Full House	Full House	Full House	Full House	Full House	Full House	Full House	Full House	Full House	Full House
TOON	Codename: Kids	Codename: Kids	Codename: Kids	Codename: Kids	Codename: Kids	Codename: Kids	Codename: Kids	Codename: Kids	Codename: Kids	Codename: Kids	Codename: Kids	Codename: Kids	Codename: Kids
FNC	(12:00) Weekend Live	(12:00) Weekend Live	(12:00) Weekend Live	(12:00) Weekend Live	(12:00) Weekend Live	(12:00) Weekend Live	(12:00) Weekend Live	(12:00) Weekend Live	(12:00) Weekend Live	(12:00) Weekend Live	(12:00) Weekend Live	(12:00) Weekend Live	(12:00) Weekend Live
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SPKIE	Trucks (In Stereo)	Disorderly Conduct (Video on Patrol)	Star Trek: The Next Generation (In Stereo)	Star Trek: The Next Generation (In Stereo)	Star Trek: The Next Generation (In Stereo)	Star Trek: The Next Generation (In Stereo)	Star Trek: The Next Generation (In Stereo)	Star Trek: The Next Generation (In Stereo)	Star Trek: The Next Generation (In Stereo)	Star Trek: The Next Generation (In Stereo)	Star Trek: The Next Generation (In Stereo)	Star Trek: The Next Generation (In Stereo)	Star Trek: The Next Generation (In Stereo)
FX	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural
NGEO	Explorer: "Super Snake"	Explorer: "Super Snake"	Explorer: "Super Snake"	Explorer: "Super Snake"	Explorer: "Super Snake"	Explorer: "Super Snake"	Explorer: "Super Snake"	Explorer: "Super Snake"	Explorer: "Super Snake"	Explorer: "Super Snake"	Explorer: "Super Snake"	Explorer: "Super Snake"	Explorer: "Super Snake"
MSNBC	MSNBC News Live	MSNBC News Live	MSNBC News Live	MSNBC News Live	MSNBC News Live	MSNBC News Live	MSNBC News Live	MSNBC News Live	MSNBC News Live	MSNBC News Live	MSNBC News Live	MSNBC News Live	MSNBC News Live
PEED	SPEED Test Drive	Motorcycle Racing: MotoGP World Champ	Champ Car World Series Racing	Ekhart Lake, Wis. (Live)	Payback	Motorcycle Racing: MotoGP World Champ	Motorcycle Racing: MotoGP World Champ	Motorcycle Racing: MotoGP World Champ	Motorcycle Racing: MotoGP World Champ	Motorcycle Racing: MotoGP World Champ	Motorcycle Racing: MotoGP World Champ	Motorcycle Racing: MotoGP World Champ	Motorcycle Racing: MotoGP World Champ
UTDR	Phantasma Forces	Beretta's Bill Dance	Bill Dance	Bill Dance	Bill Dance	Bill Dance	Bill Dance	Bill Dance	Bill Dance	Bill Dance	Bill Dance	Bill Dance	Bill Dance
TVL	(12:00) MacGyver	Gunslinger: The Guns of Colaba Blanca (In Stereo)	Gunslinger: The Guns of Colaba Blanca (In Stereo)	Gunslinger: The Guns of Colaba Blanca (In Stereo)	Gunslinger: The Guns of Colaba Blanca (In Stereo)	Gunslinger: The Guns of Colaba Blanca (In Stereo)	Gunslinger: The Guns of Colaba Blanca (In Stereo)	Gunslinger: The Guns of Colaba Blanca (In Stereo)	Gunslinger: The Guns of Colaba Blanca (In Stereo)	Gunslinger: The Guns of Colaba Blanca (In Stereo)	Gunslinger: The Guns of Colaba Blanca (In Stereo)	Gunslinger: The Guns of Colaba Blanca (In Stereo)	Gunslinger: The Guns of Colaba Blanca (In Stereo)
WE	Platinum Wedding	"Daniela Steel & Jewels" (1992) Annette O'Toole, Anthony Andrews, Jürgen Prochnow: An American man's royalty and builds a											
COM	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural	Movie: "The Replacements" (2001) Supernatural
TLC	Trading Spaces	Home Made Simple	Home Made Simple	Home Made Simple	Home Made Simple	Home Made Simple	Home Made Simple	Home Made Simple	Home Made Simple	Home Made Simple	Home Made Simple	Home Made Simple	Home Made Simple
VH-1	Explorer: "Super Snake"	Explorer: "Super Snake"	Explorer: "Super Snake"	Explorer: "Super Snake"	Explorer: "Super Snake"	Explorer: "Super Snake"	Explorer: "Super Snake"	Explorer: "Super Snake"	Explorer: "Super Snake"	Explorer: "Super Snake"	Explorer: "Super Snake"	Explorer: "Super Snake"	Explorer: "Super Snake"

**SEPTEMBER 26, 2006**

SATURDAY EVENINGS													SEPTEMBER 23, 2006		
	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30	12 AM	12:30	1 AM		
CBS	(2) Evening News (3) Entertainment	The Insider (N) (In Stereo)	The Class Accident sends Lina to the hospital.	How I Met Your Mother (N)	Two and a Half Truth about the breakup (In Stereo)	The New Adventures of Old Christine (In Stereo)	CSI: Miami: 'Going Home' When Callie's vehicle is run off the road into a canal, evidence is ruined. (N)	(2) News (5) News	Late Show With David Letterman (N) (In Stereo)	The Late Late Show With Craig T. Nelson Lauren Graham Jett (N) (In Stereo)					
NBC	Inside Edition	Entertainment Tonight	Wife Swap Boyd/Miller	Lost: Live Together, Die Alone (In Stereo)			Ch. 4 Action News at 11	Nightline	Jimmy Kimmel Live (N)	Oprah Winfrey					
NBC	(6) Entertainment Tonight (8) Wheel of Fortune (11) 12 Wheel of Fortune (11) 12 Jeopardy!	(6) Jeopardy! (11) 12 Wheel of Fortune (11) 12 Jeopardy!	Deal or No Deal (TV) Missouans try their luck. (N) (In Stereo)	Heroes: Pilot (Series Premiere) People realize their extraordinary strengths. (N) (In Stereo)	Studio 60 on the Sunset Strip: The Cold Open Matt and Danny rush to organize their first show (N) (In Stereo)		(6) 12 News (11) News	The Tonight Show With Jay Leno Sprouse Twins, Death Cab for Cutie (N) (In Stereo)	Late Night With Conan O'Brien Craig T. Nelson Cross (N) (In Stereo)						
FX	The Simpsons	Friends (In Stereo)	Saintfield (In Stereo)	Prison Break: Subdivision (In Stereo)	Fashion House: Mana uses her manipulation. (In Stereo)	The Greg Heard Show: Channel 11 News on FOX 53 at 10	Sex and the City Scrub: My Super Hero (In Stereo)	Sex and the City Scrub: My Super Hero (In Stereo)	Paid Program Scrub: My Super Hero (In Stereo)	Paid Program Scrub: My Super Hero (In Stereo)	The Bernie Mac Show				
US	Business Report	Business Report	Business Report	Business Report	Business Report	Business Report	Business Report	Business Report	Business Report	Business Report	Business Report	Business Report	Business Report		
WGN	America's Funniest Home Videos	America's Funniest Home Videos	America's Funniest Home Videos	America's Funniest Home Videos	America's Funniest Home Videos	America's Funniest Home Videos	America's Funniest Home Videos	America's Funniest Home Videos	America's Funniest Home Videos	America's Funniest Home Videos	America's Funniest Home Videos	America's Funniest Home Videos	America's Funniest Home Videos		
JFE	"Loyalties" (2006) David Hasselhoff: A man who creates trouble for a traveling businessman.	Modern Marvels: Coal	Modern Marvels: Coal	Modern Marvels: Coal	Modern Marvels: Coal	Modern Marvels: Coal	Modern Marvels: Coal	Modern Marvels: Coal	Modern Marvels: Coal	Modern Marvels: Coal	Modern Marvels: Coal	Modern Marvels: Coal	Modern Marvels: Coal		
WSTG	Interpup	The Contender	The Contender	The Contender	The Contender	The Contender	The Contender	The Contender	The Contender	The Contender	The Contender	The Contender	The Contender		
SPN2	Monday Night Countdown (Live)	NFL Football	NFL Football	NFL Football	NFL Football	NFL Football	NFL Football	NFL Football	NFL Football	NFL Football	NFL Football	NFL Football	NFL Football		
SPN	Best Damn Sports Show Period (Live)	Best Damn Sports Show Period (Live)	Best Damn Sports Show Period (Live)	Best Damn Sports Show Period (Live)	Best Damn Sports Show Period (Live)	Best Damn Sports Show Period (Live)	Best Damn Sports Show Period (Live)	Best Damn Sports Show Period (Live)	Best Damn Sports Show Period (Live)	Best Damn Sports Show Period (Live)	Best Damn Sports Show Period (Live)	Best Damn Sports Show Period (Live)	Best Damn Sports Show Period (Live)		
SP	Severed on SportsCenter	Severed on SportsCenter	Severed on SportsCenter	Severed on SportsCenter	Severed on SportsCenter	Severed on SportsCenter	Severed on SportsCenter	Severed on SportsCenter	Severed on SportsCenter	Severed on SportsCenter	Severed on SportsCenter	Severed on SportsCenter	Severed on SportsCenter		
TNT	Without a Trace (In Stereo)	The Situation Room	The Situation Room	The Situation Room	The Situation Room	The Situation Room	The Situation Room	The Situation Room	The Situation Room	The Situation Room	The Situation Room	The Situation Room	The Situation Room		
FX	OddParents	Jimmy Neutron	SpongeBob	Danny Phantom	Full House (In Stereo)	Fresh Prince (In Stereo)	The Cooby 10 Different Worlds	Roseanne (In Stereo)	Roseanne (In Stereo)	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince		
MC	Booze: ... "Sleeping in the Streets" Cont'	American Chopper	American Chopper	American Chopper	American Chopper	American Chopper	American Chopper	American Chopper	American Chopper	American Chopper	American Chopper	American Chopper	American Chopper		
DC	Phil of the Future	The Raven	The Raven	The Raven	The Raven	The Raven	The Raven	The Raven	The Raven	The Raven	The Raven	The Raven	The Raven		
ISN	Crossing Jordan: The Dogger	CSI: Miami: Death Grip (In Stereo)	CSI: Miami: Death Grip (In Stereo)	CSI: Miami: Death Grip (In Stereo)	CSI: Miami: Death Grip (In Stereo)	CSI: Miami: Death Grip (In Stereo)	CSI: Miami: Death Grip (In Stereo)	CSI: Miami: Death Grip (In Stereo)	CSI: Miami: Death Grip (In Stereo)	CSI: Miami: Death Grip (In Stereo)	CSI: Miami: Death Grip (In Stereo)	CSI: Miami: Death Grip (In Stereo)	CSI: Miami: Death Grip (In Stereo)		
AE	Everybody, Everybody	Everybody, Everybody	Everybody, Everybody	Everybody, Everybody	Everybody, Everybody	Everybody, Everybody	Everybody, Everybody	Everybody, Everybody	Everybody, Everybody	Everybody, Everybody	Everybody, Everybody	Everybody, Everybody	Everybody, Everybody		
BS	7th Heaven: Red Rocks	7th Heaven: Red Rocks	7th Heaven: Red Rocks	7th Heaven: Red Rocks	7th Heaven: Red Rocks	7th Heaven: Red Rocks	7th Heaven: Red Rocks	7th Heaven: Red Rocks	7th Heaven: Red Rocks	7th Heaven: Red Rocks	7th Heaven: Red Rocks	7th Heaven: Red Rocks	7th Heaven: Red Rocks		
AN	Don Cosentino	Don Cosentino	Don Cosentino	Don Cosentino	Don Cosentino	Don Cosentino	Don Cosentino	Don Cosentino	Don Cosentino	Don Cosentino	Don Cosentino	Don Cosentino	Don Cosentino		
DON	The Fox Report With Shepard Smith	The Fox Report With Shepard Smith	The Fox Report With Shepard Smith	The Fox Report With Shepard Smith	The Fox Report With Shepard Smith	The Fox Report With Shepard Smith	The Fox Report With Shepard Smith	The Fox Report With Shepard Smith	The Fox Report With Shepard Smith	The Fox Report With Shepard Smith	The Fox Report With Shepard Smith	The Fox Report With Shepard Smith	The Fox Report With Shepard Smith		
NC	Dark Angel: Love Among the Ruins (In Stereo)	Dark Angel: Love Among the Ruins (In Stereo)	Dark Angel: Love Among the Ruins (In Stereo)	Dark Angel: Love Among the Ruins (In Stereo)	Dark Angel: Love Among the Ruins (In Stereo)	Dark Angel: Love Among the Ruins (In Stereo)	Dark Angel: Love Among the Ruins (In Stereo)	Dark Angel: Love Among the Ruins (In Stereo)	Dark Angel: Love Among the Ruins (In Stereo)	Dark Angel: Love Among the Ruins (In Stereo)	Dark Angel: Love Among the Ruins (In Stereo)	Dark Angel: Love Among the Ruins (In Stereo)	Dark Angel: Love Among the Ruins (In Stereo)		
WKE	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation: Killer (In Stereo)	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation: Killer (In Stereo)	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation: Killer (In Stereo)	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation: Killer (In Stereo)	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation: Killer (In Stereo)	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation: Killer (In Stereo)	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation: Killer (In Stereo)	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation: Killer (In Stereo)	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation: Killer (In Stereo)	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation: Killer (In Stereo)	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation: Killer (In Stereo)	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation: Killer (In Stereo)	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation: Killer (In Stereo)		
SA	Law & Order: Criminal Intent	Law & Order: Criminal Intent	Law & Order: Criminal Intent	Law & Order: Criminal Intent	Law & Order: Criminal Intent	Law & Order: Criminal Intent	Law & Order: Criminal Intent	Law & Order: Criminal Intent	Law & Order: Criminal Intent	Law & Order: Criminal Intent	Law & Order: Criminal Intent	Law & Order: Criminal Intent	Law & Order: Criminal Intent		
FX	The 7th Show	The 7th Show	The 7th Show	The 7th Show	The 7th Show	The 7th Show	The 7th Show	The 7th Show	The 7th Show	The 7th Show	The 7th Show	The 7th Show	The 7th Show		
EO	Da Vinci's Code	Da Vinci's Code	Da Vinci's Code	Da Vinci's Code	Da Vinci's Code	Da Vinci's Code	Da Vinci's Code	Da Vinci's Code	Da Vinci's Code	Da Vinci's Code	Da Vinci's Code	Da Vinci's Code	Da Vinci's Code		
NBC	Hardball	Hardball	Hardball	Hardball	Hardball	Hardball	Hardball	Hardball	Hardball	Hardball	Hardball	Hardball	Hardball		
ED	Monster Jax	7 Days (N)	7 Days (N)	7 Days (N)	7 Days (N)	7 Days (N)	7 Days (N)	7 Days (N)	7 Days (N)	7 Days (N)	7 Days (N)	7 Days (N)	7 Days (N)		
TOR	2006 Grand Prix: Gravel off-road race.	2006 Grand Prix: Gravel off-road race.	2006 Grand Prix: Gravel off-road race.	2006 Grand Prix: Gravel off-road race.	2006 Grand Prix: Gravel off-road race.	2006 Grand Prix: Gravel off-road race.	2006 Grand Prix: Gravel off-road race.	2006 Grand Prix: Gravel off-road race.	2006 Grand Prix: Gravel off-road race.	2006 Grand Prix: Gravel off-road race.	2006 Grand Prix: Gravel off-road race.	2006 Grand Prix: Gravel off-road race.	2006 Grand Prix: Gravel off-road race.		
JE	The Jeffersons	The Jeffersons	The Jeffersons	The Jeffersons	The Jeffersons	The Jeffersons	The Jeffersons	The Jeffersons	The Jeffersons	The Jeffersons	The Jeffersons	The Jeffersons	The Jeffersons		
RE	Dharma & Greg	Dharma & Greg	Dharma & Greg	Dharma & Greg	Dharma & Greg	Dharma & Greg	Dharma & Greg	Dharma & Greg	Dharma & Greg	Dharma & Greg	Dharma & Greg	Dharma & Greg	Dharma & Greg		
ON	Scrub: In Stereo	Scrub: In Stereo	Scrub: In Stereo	Scrub: In Stereo	Scrub: In Stereo	Scrub: In Stereo	Scrub: In Stereo	Scrub: In Stereo	Scrub: In Stereo	Scrub: In Stereo	Scrub: In Stereo	Scrub: In Stereo	Scrub: In Stereo		
LC	Takes All	Takes All	Takes All	Takes All	Takes All	Takes All	Takes All	Takes All	Takes All	Takes All	Takes All	Takes All	Takes All		
I-1	Wacky Families (In Stereo)	Wacky Families (In Stereo)	Wacky Families (In Stereo)	Wacky Families (In Stereo)	Wacky Families (In Stereo)	Wacky Families (In Stereo)	Wacky Families (In Stereo)	Wacky Families (In Stereo)	Wacky Families (In Stereo)	Wacky Families (In Stereo)	Wacky Families (In Stereo)	Wacky Families (In Stereo)	Wacky Families (In Stereo)		



**TUESDAY EVENING**

**SEPTEMBER 26 2006**

	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30	12 AM	12:30	1 AM
CBS # 5	(2) Evening News (5) Entertainment	The Insider (N) (In Stereo)	NBC escaped convict threatens a friend of Gibbs. (N)	The Unit: Emergency Rendition: An enemy becomes a temporary ally when he helps track down an elusive target. (N)	Smith: Two Hope Hears that Bobbi participated in a museum robbery. (N) (In Stereo)	(2) News (5) News	Late Show With David Letterman Beyoncé Therese Sean Lennon (N) (In Stereo)	The Late Late Show With Craig Ferguson Forest Whitaker (N) (In Stereo)					
WTAE #	Inside Edition (N)	Entertainment Tonight (N)	Dancing With the Stars (In Stereo)	Help! Help! You "Pilot" (N)	Soston Legal: New Kids on the Block (N) (In Stereo)	Ch. 4 Action News at 11	Nightline (N)	Jimmy Kimmel Live! Comic George Lopez. Clay Aiken performs.	ESPN Wintry (N)				
NBC # 9 # 2 # 1 # 12	(6) Entertainment Tonight (N) (7) Wheel of Fortune (N) (11) (12) Jeopardy!	(6) A Millionaire (11) Jeopardy! (12) Wheel of Fortune	Heroes: "Pilot" People realize their extraordinary strengths. (In Stereo)	Law & Order: Criminal Intent: "Tu Love A latter's womanizing ways uncover a twisted relationship. (N) (In Stereo)	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit: Clock Slabber and Finn seek two students missing from a field trip. (N) (In Stereo)	(8) (12) News (11) News	The Tonight Show With Jay Leno Adrian Brody G. Garvin Alan Jackson (N) (In Stereo)	O'Brien With Conan O'Brien Michael Clarke Duncan Seamus Sisters (N) (In Stereo)					
WB # 22	Friends (In Stereo)	Friends (In Stereo)	Desire Allex and Peter go to New Jersey. (In Stereo)	Fashion House Circumstances Spangler (N)	The Gray Behrendt Show (N) (In Stereo)	Sex and the City (N)	Sex and the City (N)	Paid Program (N)	Paid Program (N)	The Bernie Mac Show			
FOX # 33	The Simpsons (In Stereo)	Friends (In Stereo)	Heroes: "Lines in the Sand" (In Stereo) (PA)	"Partners in Crime" (N) (In Stereo)	Channel 11 News on FOX 53 at 10	Seinfeld (In Stereo)	Scrubs (In Stereo)	Scrubs (In Stereo)	Scrubs (In Stereo)	Antiques Roadshow			
PBS # 13	Business Report (N)	Q & Q (N)	Now: "Mystery of the Megalopolis" (In Stereo)	Great Performances: Mozart at 250 The Salzburg Festival Celebration	P.O.V.: "The Self-Made Man" (In Stereo)	On Q	Charlie Rose (N) (In Stereo)	Great Museums	Great Museums	Sharp Vids			
PBS # 3	Business Report (N)	Q & Q (N)	Now: "Mystery of the Megalopolis" (In Stereo)	Great Performances: Mozart at 250 The Salzburg Festival Celebration	P.O.V.: "The Self-Made Man" (In Stereo)	On Q	Charlie Rose (N) (In Stereo)	Great Museums	Great Museums	Sharp Vids			
WGN #	America's Funniest Home Videos (In Stereo)	America's Funniest Home Videos (In Stereo)	Desire Allex and Peter go to New Jersey. (In Stereo)	Fashion House Circumstances Spangler (N)	The Gray Behrendt Show (N) (In Stereo)	Sex and the City (N)	Sex and the City (N)	Paid Program (N)	Paid Program (N)	The Bernie Mac Show			
LIFE #	50-year-old women find love in the moment.	50-year-old women find love in the moment.	Desire Allex and Peter go to New Jersey. (In Stereo)	Fashion House Circumstances Spangler (N)	The Gray Behrendt Show (N) (In Stereo)	Sex and the City (N)	Sex and the City (N)	Paid Program (N)	Paid Program (N)	The Bernie Mac Show			
HST #	Modern Materials defect busts	Modern Materials defect busts	Desire Allex and Peter go to New Jersey. (In Stereo)	Fashion House Circumstances Spangler (N)	The Gray Behrendt Show (N) (In Stereo)	Sex and the City (N)	Sex and the City (N)	Paid Program (N)	Paid Program (N)	The Bernie Mac Show			
ESPN #	College Football: Southern Mississippi at Central Florida. (Live)	College Football: Southern Mississippi at Central Florida. (Live)	Desire Allex and Peter go to New Jersey. (In Stereo)	Fashion House Circumstances Spangler (N)	The Gray Behrendt Show (N) (In Stereo)	Sex and the City (N)	Sex and the City (N)	Paid Program (N)	Paid Program (N)	The Bernie Mac Show			
ESPN #	Major League Baseball Homestead Heroes (N)	Major League Baseball Homestead Heroes (N)	Desire Allex and Peter go to New Jersey. (In Stereo)	Fashion House Circumstances Spangler (N)	The Gray Behrendt Show (N) (In Stereo)	Sex and the City (N)	Sex and the City (N)	Paid Program (N)	Paid Program (N)	The Bernie Mac Show			
FSP #	MLB Baseball: Houston Astros at Pittsburgh Pirates. (Live)	MLB Baseball: Houston Astros at Pittsburgh Pirates. (Live)	Desire Allex and Peter go to New Jersey. (In Stereo)	Fashion House Circumstances Spangler (N)	The Gray Behrendt Show (N) (In Stereo)	Sex and the City (N)	Sex and the City (N)	Paid Program (N)	Paid Program (N)	The Bernie Mac Show			
TNT #	Without a Trace "The Line" (In Stereo)	Without a Trace "The Line" (In Stereo)	Desire Allex and Peter go to New Jersey. (In Stereo)	Fashion House Circumstances Spangler (N)	The Gray Behrendt Show (N) (In Stereo)	Sex and the City (N)	Sex and the City (N)	Paid Program (N)	Paid Program (N)	The Bernie Mac Show			
CNN #	The Situation Room	The Situation Room	Desire Allex and Peter go to New Jersey. (In Stereo)	Fashion House Circumstances Spangler (N)	The Gray Behrendt Show (N) (In Stereo)	Sex and the City (N)	Sex and the City (N)	Paid Program (N)	Paid Program (N)	The Bernie Mac Show			
NICK #	Odd-Pop Jimmy Neutron	Odd-Pop Jimmy Neutron	Desire Allex and Peter go to New Jersey. (In Stereo)	Fashion House Circumstances Spangler (N)	The Gray Behrendt Show (N) (In Stereo)	Sex and the City (N)	Sex and the City (N)	Paid Program (N)	Paid Program (N)	The Bernie Mac Show			
AMC #	Movie: "When Abraham Lincoln (1991) (N) Confid	Movie: "When Abraham Lincoln (1991) (N) Confid	Desire Allex and Peter go to New Jersey. (In Stereo)	Fashion House Circumstances Spangler (N)	The Gray Behrendt Show (N) (In Stereo)	Sex and the City (N)	Sex and the City (N)	Paid Program (N)	Paid Program (N)	The Bernie Mac Show			
TDC #	Dirty Jobs: Casino Food Recycler	Dirty Jobs: Casino Food Recycler	Desire Allex and Peter go to New Jersey. (In Stereo)	Fashion House Circumstances Spangler (N)	The Gray Behrendt Show (N) (In Stereo)	Sex and the City (N)	Sex and the City (N)	Paid Program (N)	Paid Program (N)	The Bernie Mac Show			
DISN #	Phil of the Future "That's So Raven"	Phil of the Future "That's So Raven"	Desire Allex and Peter go to New Jersey. (In Stereo)	Fashion House Circumstances Spangler (N)	The Gray Behrendt Show (N) (In Stereo)	Sex and the City (N)	Sex and the City (N)	Paid Program (N)	Paid Program (N)	The Bernie Mac Show			
A&E #	Crossing Jordan "The Dogger"	Crossing Jordan "The Dogger"	Desire Allex and Peter go to New Jersey. (In Stereo)	Fashion House Circumstances Spangler (N)	The Gray Behrendt Show (N) (In Stereo)	Sex and the City (N)	Sex and the City (N)	Paid Program (N)	Paid Program (N)	The Bernie Mac Show			
TBS #	Everybody Raymond	Everybody Raymond	Desire Allex and Peter go to New Jersey. (In Stereo)	Fashion House Circumstances Spangler (N)	The Gray Behrendt Show (N) (In Stereo)	Sex and the City (N)	Sex and the City (N)	Paid Program (N)	Paid Program (N)	The Bernie Mac Show			
FAM #	Thru Heaven Tangled Web "We've Healed"	Thru Heaven Tangled Web "We've Healed"	Desire Allex and Peter go to New Jersey. (In Stereo)	Fashion House Circumstances Spangler (N)	The Gray Behrendt Show (N) (In Stereo)	Sex and the City (N)	Sex and the City (N)	Paid Program (N)	Paid Program (N)	The Bernie Mac Show			
TOON #	Squirrel Buster	Squirrel Buster	Desire Allex and Peter go to New Jersey. (In Stereo)	Fashion House Circumstances Spangler (N)	The Gray Behrendt Show (N) (In Stereo)	Sex and the City (N)	Sex and the City (N)	Paid Program (N)	Paid Program (N)	The Bernie Mac Show			
FNC #	The Fox Report With Shepard Smith (Live)	The Fox Report With Shepard Smith (Live)	Desire Allex and Peter go to New Jersey. (In Stereo)	Fashion House Circumstances Spangler (N)	The Gray Behrendt Show (N) (In Stereo)	Sex and the City (N)	Sex and the City (N)	Paid Program (N)	Paid Program (N)	The Bernie Mac Show			
SCI FI #	Dead Like Me "In Stereo" (In Stereo)	Dead Like Me "In Stereo" (In Stereo)	Desire Allex and Peter go to New Jersey. (In Stereo)	Fashion House Circumstances Spangler (N)	The Gray Behrendt Show (N) (In Stereo)	Sex and the City (N)	Sex and the City (N)	Paid Program (N)	Paid Program (N)	The Bernie Mac Show			
SPIKE #	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (In Stereo)	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (In Stereo)	Desire Allex and Peter go to New Jersey. (In Stereo)	Fashion House Circumstances Spangler (N)	The Gray Behrendt Show (N) (In Stereo)	Sex and the City (N)	Sex and the City (N)	Paid Program (N)	Paid Program (N)	The Bernie Mac Show			
USA #	Law & Order: Criminal Intent: "Shrink-Wrapped"	Law & Order: Criminal Intent: "Shrink-Wrapped"	Desire Allex and Peter go to New Jersey. (In Stereo)	Fashion House Circumstances Spangler (N)	The Gray Behrendt Show (N) (In Stereo)	Sex and the City (N)	Sex and the City (N)	Paid Program (N)	Paid Program (N)	The Bernie Mac Show			
TV #	That '70s Show	That '70s Show	Desire Allex and Peter go to New Jersey. (In Stereo)	Fashion House Circumstances Spangler (N)	The Gray Behrendt Show (N) (In Stereo)	Sex and the City (N)	Sex and the City (N)	Paid Program (N)	Paid Program (N)	The Bernie Mac Show			
FO #	Is It Real? UFO's (In Stereo)	Is It Real? UFO's (In Stereo)	Desire Allex and Peter go to New Jersey. (In Stereo)	Fashion House Circumstances Spangler (N)	The Gray Behrendt Show (N) (In Stereo)	Sex and the City (N)	Sex and the City (N)	Paid Program (N)	Paid Program (N)	The Bernie Mac Show			
Hardball #	Hardball	Hardball	Desire Allex and Peter go to New Jersey. (In Stereo)	Fashion House Circumstances Spangler (N)	The Gray Behrendt Show (N) (In Stereo)	Sex and the City (N)	Sex and the City (N)	Paid Program (N)	Paid Program (N)	The Bernie Mac Show			
SPEED #	Monster Fight Night	Pinkal Two Mustangs	American Thunder	Corbin's Ride On	Super Bikes!	Super Bikes!	Street Tuner	Redline TV Numb3rs	Super Bikes!	Countdown With Keith Olbermann	Pr. Next Door		
TOON #	The Jeffersons	The Jeffersons	Little House on the Prairie: "The Lost Ones"	Andy Griffin	The Jeffersons	Secret Lives of Women Cutters"	Three's Company	Three's Company	Good Times Times	Good Times	Generation Boom		
WE #	Dharma & Greg (In Stereo)	Dharma & Greg (In Stereo)	Desire Allex and Peter go to New Jersey. (In Stereo)	Fashion House Circumstances Spangler (N)	The Gray Behrendt Show (N) (In Stereo)	Sex and the City (N)	Sex and the City (N)	Paid Program (N)	Paid Program (N)	The Bernie Mac Show			
COM #	Scrubs (In Stereo)	Scrubs (In Stereo)	Desire Allex and Peter go to New Jersey. (In Stereo)	Fashion House Circumstances Spangler (N)	The Gray Behrendt Show (N) (In Stereo)	Sex and the City (N)	Sex and the City (N)	Paid Program (N)	Paid Program (N)	The Bernie Mac Show			
TLC #	Dinner Table All	Dinner Table All	Desire Allex and Peter go to New Jersey. (In Stereo)	Fashion House Circumstances Spangler (N)	The Gray Behrendt Show (N) (In Stereo)	Sex and the City (N)	Sex and the City (N)	Paid Program (N)	Paid Program (N)	The Bernie Mac Show			
VN-1 #	Caught on Tape (In Stereo)	Caught on Tape (In Stereo)	Desire Allex and Peter go to New Jersey. (In Stereo)	Fashion House Circumstances Spangler (N)	The Gray Behrendt Show (N) (In Stereo)	Sex and the City (N)	Sex and the City (N)	Paid Program (N)	Paid Program (N)	The Bernie Mac Show			

**THURSDAY EVENING****SEPTEMBER 28, 2006 |**[illegible]**WEDNESDAY EVENING**

**SEPTEMBER 27, 2006**

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# Church Calendar

**APOSTOLIC**  
Apostolic Church of Oakland, Rev. Aaron Phillips, Pastor. SS 10 am; Wor. 11 am; Bible Study Wed. 7 pm.

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
Cornerstone Assembly of God, US 219, Boynton, Pa. Pastor Thomas Twigg Jr., 814-662-4235. SS 9:30 am; Wor. 10:30 am; Sun. eve. ser. 6 pm; Wed. fam. night & Bible study 7 pm.  
Crellin Assembly of God, Rev. Bruce Craig, Pastor. SS 9:45 am; Wor. 10:45 am and 6 pm; Prayer meet. Mon. 7 pm; Prayer and Bible study, Missionettes and Royal Rangers, PowerSource Youth Minist. Wed. 7 pm.

Glendale Assembly of God Church, David P. Goldizen, Pastor. SS 10 am; evening Wor. 6 pm; Thurs. evening wor. 7 pm.  
Good Tidings Assembly of God, Location Rd., St. George, WV. Iris V. Skipper, Pastor. SS 10 am; Wor. 7 pm & Fri. 7:30 pm; Cottage Prayer Meet. Tues. 7:30 pm.

Hiway Assembly of God, Rt. 38, Kitzmiller, Rev. Gail K. Hixon, Pastor. SS 10 am; Sun. eve. ser. 6 pm; Wed. night ser. 7 pm.  
Kitzmiller Assembly of God, Rev. Lee R. Robertson, Pastor. SS 10 am; Wor. 11 am; Eve. Wor. 7 pm; Prayer & Praise ser. Wed. 7 pm.

Lakeside Assembly of God, Rev. Robert W. Collette Sr., Pastor. SS 9:30 am; Wor. 10:30 am; Evang. ser. Sun. 6:30 pm; Bible Study Wed. 7 pm.

Maple Grove Assembly of God, Horse Shoe Run, WV, Robert J. Klier, Pastor. SS 9:30 am; Fam. Wor. 10:30 am and 7 pm; Wed. 6 pm youth; 7 pm Bible study.  
Maranatha Assembly of God, 17 Springs Rd., Grantsville, 301-895-5300. Rev. William K. Ferguson, Interim, Pastor. SS 9:30 am; Sun. Worship 10:30 am & 6 pm.

Mt. Top Christian Assembly, Rt. 135, Mtn. Lake Park, Rev. Daniel Winters. SS 9:30 am; Wor. and Kids C.A.V.E. 10:30 am; Living Word Youth Ministry and Evang. ser. 6 pm; Wed. Bible Study and Missionettes 7 pm; Choir 8 pm.  
Rocky Mountain Assembly of God, Bray School Rd. Rev. William C. Skipper, Pastor. SS 9:45 am; Wor. 10:45 am & 7 pm; Wed. ser. 7 pm.

Terra Alta Assembly of God, Rev. Robert Travis, Pastor. SS 10 am; Wor. & Child's Church 11 am; Evang. ser. 7 pm; Adult Bible Study & Youth ser. Wed. 7 pm.  
Walnut Bottom Assembly of God, Rev. George Tichnell, SS 10 am; evening Wor. 6 pm and Wed. 7 pm.

**BAPTIST**  
Deep Creek Baptist Church, Don Wilson, Pastor. SS 9:45 am; Wor. ser. 11 am and 6 pm; Bible Study & Prayer Wed. 7 pm.  
Fernside Baptist Church, Rt. 219, 3 mi. N. of Oakland, Child's SS 9 am; Wor. ser. 10 am.  
Harvest Baptist Church, off Rt. 495, Jennings Rd. Alan Kirkby, Pastor phone, 301-895-5556. SS 9:30 am; Wor. 10:30 am; Wed. Prayer & Bible Study 7 pm.

Little Meadows Baptist Church, Chestnut Ridge Rd., Grantsville, Pastor Rick High, 301-895-4200. SS 9:30 am; Wor. 10:45 am & 6 pm; Bible study Wed. 7 pm.  
Mtn. Lake Independent Baptist Church, 1005 Broadford Rd. Dennis L. Leatherman, Pastor; www.mlbcb.org. SS 9:45 am; Wor. ser. 10:45 am & 7 pm & Wed. 7 pm.  
New Testament Baptist Church, 710 Dung Hill Rd., Grantsville, 301-895-4001. Tony Wilburn, Pastor. SS 10 am; Worship 11 am and 7 pm; Wed. Eve. Bible study 7:30 pm.

Pleasant View Baptist Church, 2 mi. S. of Oakland, Rt. 219. Wally Weeks, Pastor. Mark Weeks, Wor. Pastor. 301-334-8515. Sun. 10:15 am; Bible Study 9 am; Family Minist. Wed. 6 pm.  
Rush Baptist Church, 1985 Old Morgantown Rd. West, near Friendsville, Rev. Ray Perkins, Pastor. SS 9:45 am; Wor. 11 am.  
Victory Baptist Church, 3 miles W. of Oakland, Rt. 39, near Crellin. SS 10 am; Wor. 11 am & 7 pm & Wed. 7 pm.

**BRETHREN**  
Asher Glade Church of the Brethren, Rt. 42, N. of Friendsville. Edwin Moore, Pastor. 1-724-425-9792. SS 10 am; Wor. 11 am.  
Bear Creek Church of the

Brethren, Brethren Church Rd., Accident, Pastor Kevin Staggs. SS 9:30 am; Wor. 10:30 am.

Bethesda Church of the Brethren, Rt. 495, Grantsville. Carroll Junkins, Pastor. SS 9:30 am; Wor. ser. 10:30 am.

Brookside Church of the Brethren, Rev. Sam Moon, Pastor. SS 10 am; Wor. 11 am.

Cherry Grove Church of the Brethren, 3992 Chestnut Ridge Rd., Grantsville, Tom Wegman, Pastor. 814-662-9311. SS 9:30 am; Wor. ser. 10:30 am.

Fairview Church of the Brethren, 4 mi. off Rt. 50, David C. Moon, Pastor. SS 10 am; Wor. 11 am.

Gortner Union Church of the Brethren-Mennonite, Rev. Steven Sauder, Pastor. SS 9:30 am; Wor. ser. 10:30 am.

Grace Brethren Church, 3 mi. S. of Accident on Bumble Bee Rd. SS 10 am; Wor. 11 am.

Laughlin Church of the Brethren, Amish Rd., Grantsville. Pastor Mark Durst. SS 9:30 am; Wor. 10:30 am.

Laurel Glen Church of the Brethren, Old Mill Rd., Grantsville. Berma and Carol Yerkey, Pastors. SS 10 am; Wor. 11 am.

Maple Grove Church of the Brethren, Maple Grove Rd. Worship 10:30 am.

Maple Spring Church of the Brethren, Rev. Glenn Nissly, Pastor. SS 10 am; Wor. 10:45 am.

Marklevburg Church of the Brethren, Main St., Marklevburg, Pa. 724-329-8155. SS 10 am; Worship 11 am.

Mt. Grove Church of the Brethren, Rev. Curtis Ketterman, Pastor. Wor. ser. 10:30 am.

Oak Grove Church of the Brethren, Sang Run Rd. Pastor Philip Matthews, 301-334-1248; church 301-387-7502. SS 10 am; Wor. 11 am.

Oak Park Church of the Brethren, 110 Church Lane, Oakland, Rev. Mel Menker, Pastor. 301-334-2243. SS 9:30 am; Wor. 8:15 & 10:30 am.

Pine Grove Church of the Brethren, Swallow Falls. Don Matthews, Interim Pastor. SS 10 am; Wor. 11 am.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Oakland Church of Christ, 1300 Memorial Dr., Oakland, 301-334-1501. SS 9:30 am; Wor. 10:30 am & 6 pm; Wed. 7 pm.

**EPISCOPAL**  
Emmanuel Episcopal Church, 301 S. Mineral St., Keyser, WV. 304-768-4475. The Rev. Joe Mackoy, Rector, Holy Eucharist & sermon 10 am Sun.; Wed. Healing ser. 10:30 am.

Our Father's House, Rt. 135 at Altamont. Worship Service Sun., 10 am June 25 through Labor Day.

St. John's Episcopal Church, Rev. Chip Lee, Rt. 135, Deer Pk. SS & Holy Eucharist 9 am.

St. Matthew's Episcopal, 2nd & Liberty St., Oakland. "Church of Presidents." Holy Eucharist, Sun. 8 & 10:45 am; Rev. Chip Lee, Rector.

St. Michael's Episcopal Church, 107 McDonald St., Kingwood, WV. Rev. Alan Jenks, Vicar. Holy Eucharist, Sun. 10 am.

**VANGUARD FREE**  
Faith Church, 1009 Md. Hwy., Mtn. Lake Pk., 301-334-4172. Rev. David R. Martin. SS 9:30-10:30 am; Wor. ser. 10:45 am; Pioneer Club during sch. yr. Wed. Jr. & Sr. High 6:45-8 pm at Loch Lynn Community Building.

**GOSPEL CHURCH**  
Full Gospel Church, Blaine, WV. Rev. George Tichnell, Pastor. SS 10 am; Sun. Night ser. 7 pm; Wed. Bible study 7 pm.

Independent Full Gospel Revival Center, Loch Lynn Hts. SS 10 am; Wor. ser. 6 pm; Wed. Wor. ser. 6:30 pm.

Savage River Full Gospel Church, Rev. Charles Brathwaite, Pastor. SS 10 am; Sun. ser. 6:30 pm; Wed. ser. 7 pm.

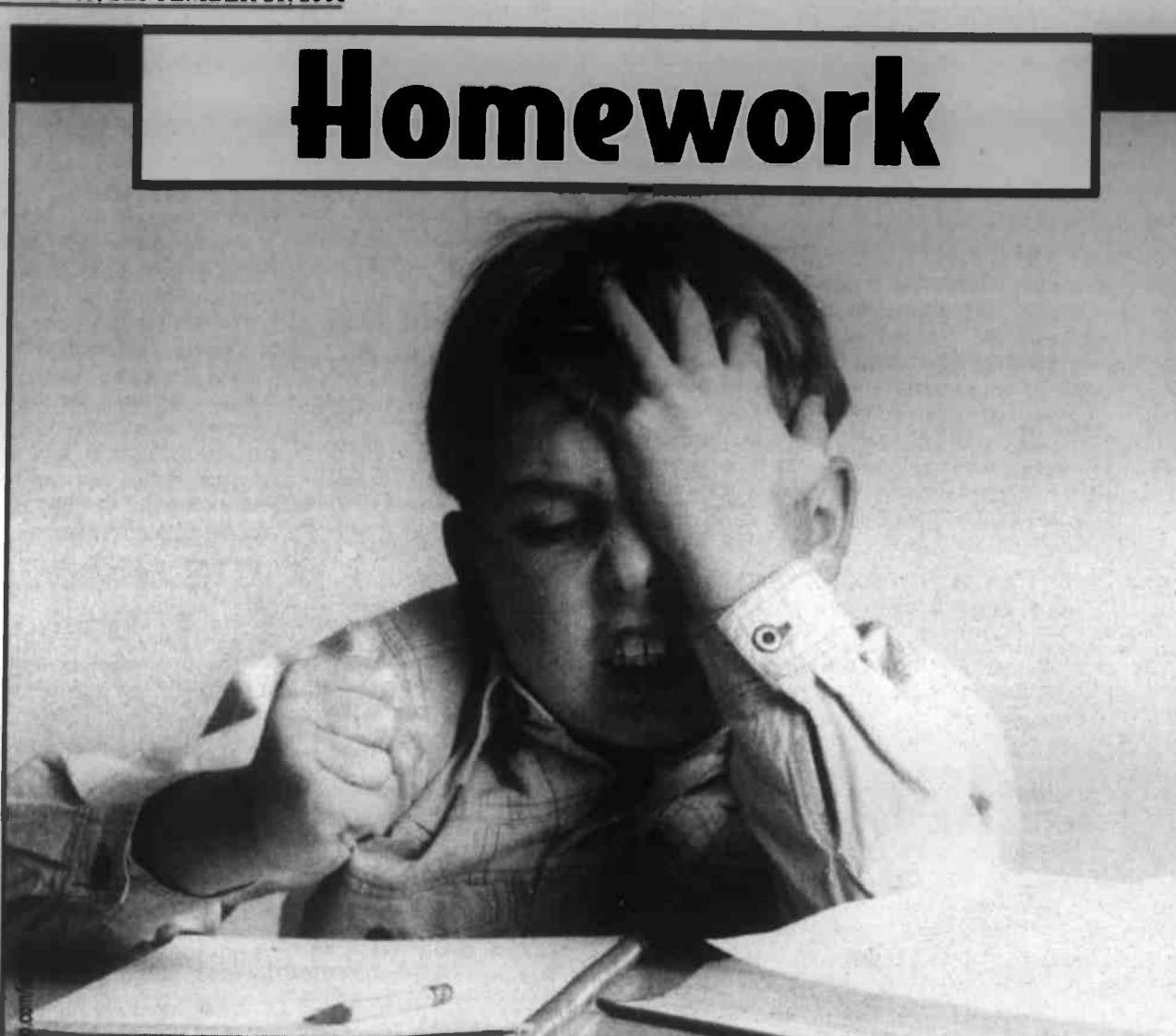
**CHURCH OF GOD**  
Bayard Church of God, Bayard, WV. Rev. William McCallister, Pastor. SS 10 am; Wor. ser. 11 am; Sun. & Wed. ser. 6:30 pm; Prayer meet. Thurs. 6 pm.

The Church of God of Prophecy, 25 Back Street, Deer Park. 301-533-3227. John Osborne, Pastor. SS 10 am; mom. wor. 11 am; eve. wor. 7 pm; Wed. eve. ser. 7 pm.

Fresh Fire Church of God, Rt. 219 & Rt. 50, 301-334-6500. Tom & Sandy McGinnis, pastors. SS 10 am; Sun. Wor. 11 am & 7 pm. Prayer serv. Tues., 7 pm.

Gorman Church of God, at 7301 GW Hwy, Oakland. 301-334-4110. William Rhodes, pastor. SS 10 am; Church ser. 11 am; Eve. ser. 6 pm; Tues. Bible study 7 pm.

Jennings Church of God,



**Homework**

Before the first crisp leaves crackle along the pavement, we get ready for a new school year. Though some youngsters anticipate this rite with more enthusiasm than others, they will usually agree upon one fact. They don't like homework!

Why have homework anyway? Is it really necessary? Well, perhaps it is necessary, for though the classroom is the place of learning, homework is an exercise in application...a time to use that knowledge...a time to reinforce what we've learned.

Our spiritual life somewhat parallels this concept. We attend God's house and study His Word. The rest of the week is "homework", as we apply this wisdom in our daily lives, away from the sanctuary and amidst temptation.

Attend your chosen place of worship this week; and after you have learned of God's will...always do your homework.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Proverbs 1:1-33	Proverbs 3:1-35	Proverbs 4:1-27	Proverbs 8:1-36	Proverbs 9:1-18	Proverbs 10:1-32	Proverbs 11:1-31

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Rev. George Plants, Pastor. SS 10 am; Preach. 6 pm; Sat. Prayer meet. 6 pm; Wed. Bible study 6 pm.

Laurel Run Church of God, Friendsville, Michael L. Roach, Pastor (Affiliated w/ Anderson, Ind. & CBH). SS 10 am; Wor. 10:45 am & 7 pm; Wed. prayer & Bible study 7 pm 301-746-5320.

Loch Lynn Church of God, Rev. Ivan and Cindy Ackerman, Pastors. SS 9:45 am; Wor. 8 & 11 am and 6 pm; Wed. service 7 pm.

Sand Spring Church of God, Fearer Rd., Friendsville, 301-746-5675, Nevin Umbel, Int. Pastor. SS 9 am; Wor. ser. 10:15 am; Bible Study Wed. 7 pm; Women's Minist. 1st Wed. 10 am Choir practice Wed. 6 pm.

**INDEPENDENT**  
Creation for Christ Min., 301-334-3133, Rt. 219 S. Glens Dumrie, Pastor. Sun. Wor. 7:30 pm; Wed. prayer meet. 7:30 pm.

First Christian Church, Friendsville, Galen Beitzel, Evang. SS 10 am; Wor. & Com. 11 am.

Freedom Chapel, Bear Creek Rd. near Friendsville. Pastor Phil Smith, 301-746-5172. SS 10 am; Wor. ser. 11:15 am; Bible study Tues. eve. 6 pm.

Grace Bible Church, 28099 Garrett Hwy., Accident, Larry Giotfletty, Pastor, 301-746-8635. SS 10 am; Wor. ser. 11 am & 7:00 pm; Prayer Meet. & Bible study Wed. 7:30 pm.

House of Love, 114 S. Second St., Oakland (Entry at rear of building) Pat Malone, 301-707-0272. Sun. wor. 10 am.

Mercy Chapel, Pastor Raymond Schmuck, 902 Mill Run Rd., 5 mi. N. of Friendsville, Wor. ser. Sun. 10:30 am; Bible study.

New Life Christian Church, Rev. Roger Kitzmiller, Pastor. 3 mi. N. of Oakland, off Rt. 219 on Nest Lick Acres Rd. SS 10 am; Wor. ser. 11 am; Sun. Eve. ser. 7 pm Prayer Meet. 7 pm Wed.

Sang Run Christian Center, Sang Run Rd., Joe Spiker, Pastor. 301-387-6142. SS 10 am; wor. 11 am; Bible study every 3rd Wed. 7 pm.

St. John's Church, Grantsville, Pastor Jerry Rogers, 301-895-5256. SS 9:15 am; Wor. ser. 10:30 am.

St. Paul's Wilhelm Church, 531 Rock Station Rd., Meyersdale, Pa. Pastor Tommy Holiday, 814-662-4555. Wor. 9 am; SS 10 am.

Western Md. Christian Center, Mike Robinson, Pastor. 827 1st Ave., Friendsville. 301-746-5715. Sun. Fellowship & Children's C.L.U.B. house 10 am; Eve. Wor. Sun. 6 pm; Disc. & Youth (13-18) Wed. 7 pm.

World Light House Worship Center, Grantsville, Dewayne Johnson, Pastor. 301-895-3868. Sun. wor. 10 am & 6 pm; Tues. w/ youth & teens 7 pm Nursery avail.

**JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES**  
Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses, 325 Weber Rd., Oakland. 301-334-8301, Delmus Evans presiding. Sun. 10 am Public lecture, 10:50 am Watchtower study, Tues. 7:30 pm Bible study, Thurs. 7:30 pm Ministry School, 8:25 pm Service meeting.

**LATTER-DAY SAINTS**  
The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, 1022 John Dr., Oakland, Contact Gary Galloway home 304-259-5565; office 301-334-9552. Sacrament meet. 10 am.

**LUTHERAN**  
Accident Evangelical Lutheran Parish, Roland E. Naim

Ill, Pastor St. John's, Cove, Wor. 8:30 am; SS 9:30 am; Grace, Friendsville, SS 9 am; Wor. 9:45 am; St. Paul's, Accident, SS 9:30 am; Wor. 11 am.

Blittinger Lutheran Parish, Donald Thomas, Interim Pastor. 301-245-4202. St. John's, Meadow Mt., Wor. 8:45 am; Emmanuel, Bittering, Wor. 10 am; SS 8:45 am; Zion, Jennings, Wor. 11:30 am.

Christ Lutheran Church 180 Main St., Grantsville. David E. Fetter, Pastor. Wor. ser. 8:30 am; Holy Eucharist 9:17 & 10:15.

Evangelical Lutheran Church, 2706 Greenville Rd., Meyersdale, Pa. David E. Fetter, Pastor. Wor. ser. 11 am; SS 10 am; Holy Eucharist 9:10 & 10:8.

St. John's Lutheran Church, 104 Union St., Salisbury, Pa. David E. Fetter, Pastor. Wor. ser. 9:45 am; SS 11 am; Holy Eucharist 9:30 & 10:1.

St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church, 1065 Cove Rd., Accident, 301-746-8466. Rev. Douglas Kabell, Pastor. Trad. wor. 9 am; Cont. wor. 11 am; SS & Bible cl. 10 am.

St. John's Lutheran Church, Red House, Rev. Marjorie E. Lauver, Pastor, phone 301-334-4778. SS 9:45 am; Wor. ser. 11 am.

St. Paul's Lutheran, Aurora, WV, Rev. Marjorie E. Lauver, Pastor. Wor. ser. 9:30 am; SS 8:45 am.

St. Mark's Lutheran Church, 6 S. Second St., Oakland, 301-334-2008, Rev. Dr. C. Scott Robinson, pastor. SS 8:45 am; Wor. ser. 10 am; Wed. Adult forum 6:15 pm, Evening Wor. 7 pm.

Shepherd of the Hills Lutheran Church, 18741 Garrett Hwy., (at Garrett & Cinemas), 301-387-0400. Wor. ser. 9:30 am; SS 10:45 am.

Zion Lutheran Church (LCMS), Accident, Rev. Keith M. Clow, Pastor. SS & Bible Class 9:30 am; Wor. ser. 10:30 am.

**MENTONITE**  
Cherry Glade Mennonite Church, 4 mi. E. of Accident on Accident-Bittering Rd. Barry Maust, Pastor; Titus Beitzel and Danny Tice, Assoc. Pastors. SS 9:30 am; Wor. ser. 10:30 am; Anthony Lehman, Youth Pastor. SS 9:30 am; Wor. ser. 10:30 am.

Glade Mennonite Church, Accident-Bittering Rd. & Rock Lodge Rd. Phone 301-245-4285. Pastor Chris Weaver. SS 9:30 am; Wor. 10:30 am.

Gortner Union Church of the Brethren-Mennonite, Rev. Steven Sauder, Pastor. SS 9:30 am; Wor. ser. 10:30 am.

Maple Glen Mennonite Church, Grantsville. Pastor Phil Moser. SS 9:30 am; Wor. 10:30 am.

Meadow Mountain Mennonite Church, Rt. 495 near Dry Run & Glendale Rd. Duane Frederick, Pastor. SS 9:30 am; Wor. ser. 10:30 am.

Oak Grove Mennonite, Pastor Tim Fetterly, On Zehner Rd., 3 mi. W. of Grantsville by Rt. 40. SS 9:30 am; Wor. ser. 10:30 am.

Red Run Mennonite Church, Mayersdale Rd., 301-264-3039. Rev. Carlos Reyes, Pastor. Wor. 10:30 am; SS 9:30 am.

**NAZARENE**  
Church of the Nazarene, Rev. Art Evans, study 301-334-2201, 207 S. 8th St. Oakland. SS 9:45 am; Wor. 10:45 am; Sun. eve. ser. 6 pm; prayer, praise & study Wed. 7 pm.

Kingwood Nazarene Church, 125 Wellisley St., Kingwood, WV. SS 9:45 am; wor. 11 am; Sun. eve. serv. 6 pm; Caravan (Sept.-May) &

**Do You Respect the Earth?**

There is a curious idea in medieval theology, sometimes referred to as God's "sensorium", that considers the universe to be the body of God. Whether we believe that the universe is God's creation from nothing (ex nihilo) or that it is the physical manifestation of God, we should respect it as being the work or expression of God. Those who accept a literal interpretation of Genesis and argue that we were given dominion over nature sometimes use this as justification for using the Earth in any way that suits them; however, this kind of thinking is surely misguided. Likewise a king who used his kingdom and his subjects in any way that suited him would surely be a very bad king. We can show our respect for God's creation by leaving a "small footprint" on the Earth. We should recycle whenever possible, conserve energy, and consider how our lifestyle affects the planet. After all, we're not the only ones who call Earth our home.

**In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth. The earth was without form, and void; and darkness was on the face of the deep. And the Spirit of God was hovering over the face of the waters.**  
R.S.V. Genesis 1: 1-2

Bible study Wed. 7 pm.

**PENTECOSTAL**  
Calvary Tabernacle, Accident, Rev. Larry Wallbrown, Pastor. SS 10 am; Evang. Ser. 6 pm & Wed. 7:30 pm.  
Friendsville United Pentecostal Church, Rev. Marshall Bittering, Pastor. SS 10 am; Evang. ser. 6 pm; Mid-week Wed. 7 pm.  
Pentecostal Holiness, Corinth, WV. Revs. Paul and Cathy Snyder, Pastors. SS 10 am; worship 11 am & 6 pm; Adult Bible study & youth serv. Wed. 7 pm.

**PRESBYTERIAN**  
First United Presbyterian Church, Terra Alta. Louise Corbett, Pastor. Wor. ser. 9:30 am; SS 10:30 am.  
Mt. Storm Presbyterian Church, Rev. Paul A. Smith, 304-693-7546. Wor. ser. 9 am; SS 10 am.

**REFORMED**  
Grace Reformed Church, Pastor Robert Bonser, 301-334-5635, meets at St. Matthew's Episcopal Church at S. 2nd and Liberty Sts., Oakland for 9:30 am worship.

**ROMAN CATHOLIC**  
St. Anne's Catholic Church, Rt. 40, Grantsville. Mass Sun. 9:30 am.  
St. Peter the Apostle Catholic Church, Oakland, Rev. Donald J. Parson, Phone: 301-334-2202. Oakland: Sat. 5:30 pm; Sun. 8 & 11:30 am. Lake Courtyard Uno's Rest.: Sun. 9:30 am.

**SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST**  
Mountainport Seventh-Day Adventist Church, Between DCL & Oakland. Geoff Starr, Pastor. 301-387-9532. Sat. Sab. Sch. 9:30 am; Wor. Hr. 11 am.

**UNITARIAN/UNIVERSALIST**  
UU Fellowship of Greater Cumberland, 211 S. Lee St., Cumberland. Church sch. & serv. 10:45 am Sun.

**UNITED BRETHREN**  
Crellin United Brethren in Christ, Ed Calhoun, Pastor. 301-334-1870. SS 9:45 am; Wor. ser. 10:50 am and 6 pm; Youth Gr. 6 pm Sun.; prayer meet & Bible study 7 pm Wednesday.

**UNDERWOOD UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH**  
Woods, Pastor. 301-334-5777. Wor. ser. 9 am; SS 10:15 am; Sun. Eve. ser. 6:30 pm; Thurs. Bible Study 7 pm.

**UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
St. John's United Church of Christ, Salisbury, Pa. Rev. Dr. Phil Sorenson, Pastor. Wor. Serv. 11 a.m.

Trinity United Church of Christ, New Germany, Rev. Dr. Phil Sorenson, Pastor. Wor. 9:30 a.m.

**UNITED METHODIST**  
The United Methodist Church, Garrett Highland Charge, Rev. Joe Robinette, Pastor. Phone 301-533-0999. Crellin: Wor. ser. 10 am; SS 10:45 am; White Church: Wor. ser. 11 am; SS 10 am; Deer Park: Wor. ser. 9 am; SS 9:45 am; Kurtz Chapel: Sun. 9:45 am 2nd & 1st Sun. Aurora: Wor. 11 am; 2nd, 3rd Sun.: 9:45 4th Sun. Bethel: 9:45 am 2nd Sun.: 11 am 4th Sun. Stemple Ridge: 8:30 am 1st & 3rd Sun.; Prayer & Praise 7:30 pm Wed. at Aurora.

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Bethel United Methodist Church, Mtn. Lake Park. Rev. Richard Hogg Jr., 301-334-4488. Church SS 9:30 am to 10:30 am; Wor. ser. 10:45 am w/ Nursery (Infant to 5 years).  
Bloomington United Methodist Charge, Rev. Donald Nelson, Pastor. Mt. Zion: Wor. 8:50 am followed by SS; Bible study 6:30 pm Tues. Chestnut Grove: Wor. 9:45 am; prayer meet. Mon. 6:30 pm Bloomington: SS 10 am; wor. 11 am, prayer meet. Wed. 7:30 pm.

Craneville United Methodist Charge, Alan J. Granotsky, Faith Church: 304-789-2332. Wor. 10 am; SS 11 am; Bible study Wed. 7:30 pm Lake Ford: Wor. 11:15 am; SS 10:15 am.

Deep Creek United Methodist Ministerial, Rev. R. Samuel Wachter, Pastor. 301-387-6832. Hoyes Church, Hoyes Rd., Wor. 9 am; SS 10 am; Bible study Tu. 1 pm; UMW 7 pm 1st Th; Children's adv. 2nd Tu. 4 pm. Paradise Church, Sand Flat Rd. Wor. 10 am; SS 11 am.

Friendsville United Methodist Charge, Rev. Sarah Snyder, Pastor. 301-334-5251. Sun. Morn. Wor. ser. Blooming Rose 9 am; SS 10 am; Selbyport 10 am; SS 9 am; Friendsville 11 am; SS 10 am.

Mt. Storm/Bayard Charge, Rev. Mary Radford, Pastor. Bayard: SS 10 am; Wor. ser. 11:30 am. Mt. Storm: Wor. 9:45 am; SS 9 am.

Grantsville United Methodist Charge, Rev. William Durst, Pastor. 301-895-5201. or 301-746-7049. Jennings: Wor. 9:30 am; SS 10:30 am; Women's meet. 7 pm 2nd Mon. St. Paul's: Grantsville, Wor. 10:30 am; SS 9:30 am; UMW, 7:30 pm 3rd Wed. State Line: Wor. 8 am; SS 9 am; Women's meet 3rd Mon. 7 pm.

Kitzmiller Mt. Bethel United Methodist Church, Rev. Joyce Anderson, Pastor. Wor. 9:30 am; SS 10:30 am; Bible Study & Prayer meet. Wed. 7 pm.

McHenry United Methodist Church, Rev. Bill Dawson, Pastor. Mosser & Bumblebee Rds. Parsonage, 301-387-9059. Wor. 11 am; SS 9:45 am. Choir practice Wed. 7 pm w/child care. Fellowship dinners monthly. Call for dates of youth ministry events.

Northeast Garrett United Methodist Charge, Rev. Daniel Agnew, Pastor. 301-689-9835. Emmanuel: Pocahontas Rd. & Rt. 40. Worship 9:30 am; SS 10:30 am; UMYF 1st Sun. at 6 pm; UMW 2nd Wed. at 7 pm; UMW 3rd am 2nd Saturday at the Casselman. Mt. Zion, Route 40 & Longstreet, SS 9:45 am; Wor. ser. 11 am; UMW, 1st Wed. at 7 pm.

Otterbein United Methodist, Swanton, Rev. Joyce Anderson, Pastor. SS 9:45 am; Wor. ser. 11 am; Bible study & prayer meet. 7 pm Thursday.

St. Paul's United Methodist Church, 4th & Oak Sts., Oakland. Rev. Patrick Kerr, Pastor. Wor. ser. 8:30 and 10:45 am; Childrens SS 9:15 am; Adult SS 9:30 am.

Terra Alta First United Methodist Church, 303 W. State Ave., Rev. Michael Daniels, Pastor. SS 9:45 am; Wor. 11 am.

Terra Alta Wesleyan Church, Rev. Steve White, Pastor. SS 10 am; Worship ser. 11 am & 6 pm. Bible study Wed. 7 pm.

Trinity United Methodist Church, 3rd & State Sts., Terra Alta, WV. Joanne Granotsky, Pastor. SS 10 am; Wor. 11 am; Eve. Bible study 7 pm; Wed. Bible study 7 pm.

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Chromium is a trace element that has been shown to improve the action of insulin in the body. Insulin promotes the utilization and storage of sugar (glucose). In people with Type 2 diabetes, the body is resistant to the effects of insulin. This insulin resistance eventually leads to high blood sugar (hyperglycemia). Recently, a study evaluated the effects of chromium in people with diabetes. In this study, 25 individuals diagnosed with Type 2 diabetes for at least 6 months received either glipizide extended-release tablets combined with either a placebo tablet or chromium piccolinate 1000 mcg daily.

Glipizide is used commonly to treat diabetes. Weight gain is a known side effect of therapy with glipizide and other drugs in its class. The study participants who received supplementation with chromium gained significantly less weight during the 41 week study period. Individuals with diabetes should discuss chromium with their health care provider, and check their blood sugar more frequently if chromium is added to their regimen.

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